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VICTORIA, B. C., THURSDAY, MAY 11, 1911.

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## GOVERNMENT MAY WITHDRAW GRANT

### IF SEA WALL PLANS ARE INTERFERED WITH

Investigating Committee Hears Important Evidence About Contractors and Inspector

## REBELS ADVANCE TO MEET FEDERALS

### WILL ENGAGE TROOPS MOVING TOWARD JUAREZ

Machine Guns, Field Pieces and Much Ammunition Fall Into Hands of Insurgents

Juarez, Mexico, May 11.—The insurgents are determined not only to hold Juarez against any attack, but to prevent a fight in this vicinity if possible. Plans are being laid at the insurrecto headquarters to-day to send several hundred men south to meet Col. Rabago, the federal leader, who is reported to be on his way here from Chihuahua with a large force. The rebels already have about three hundred men at Casas Grandes who will engage in a running fight with Rabago when he arrives there.

It is not known who will command the detachment sent from Juarez.

The town was quiet to-day for the first time since the armistice expired. The inhabitants slept peacefully in their homes while insurrecto sentries guarded the town.

General Navarro, who was paroled with officers last night, spent the night in the same house with Gen. Francisco I. Madero, Jr., though the federal commander now has been given the liberty of the city. He does not seem it safe to walk openly through the town, as many insurrectos still cherish a grudge against him for alleged bayonetting of the wounded in other battles of the revolution.

The capture of Juarez is the most important event of the revolution, not only because it is a port of entry to the United States, and the insurrectos believe that in the next 24 hours food and supplies will be crossing unmolested, but because they are now in possession of about 450,000 rounds of ammunition, several machine guns and field pieces, about 700 Mauser rifles and enough ammunition belts and other equipment to make them an effective fighting force.

But although the revolutionists are flushed with victory and some of them eager to pursue their advantage with increasing vigor throughout Mexico until the capital of the republic shall have fallen into their hands, conservative rebel leaders hope that the bloody battle of Juarez will mark the last chapter of the military side of the revolution. Much interest and curiosity was displayed by General Madero and his chief to-day in how Mexico City took the rebel victory and the attitude of the people in the United States. General Madero believes he has a strong following in Mexico City, and in the view of rebel success does not conceal the expectation that his supporters will make a demonstration there.

In conducting his examination of the inspector, Mr. Higgins, on behalf of the contractors, endeavored to induce him to express an opinion, that is an independent opinion, as to whether the old wall should be left standing or not, but Mr. Foreman would not indulge himself to that extent. He pointed out that his opinion was secondary in any case in that particular regard as he was merely on the job as inspector to see that the specifications were implemented by the contractors, and not as the engineer directing the work.

This attitude drew from Mr. Higgins the explanation of the company's position in regard to the tight-laced situation of the inspector. He claimed that the plans of the wall were not all that they ought to be, and that the company was desirous of remedying the defect by completing the work in a cheaper and better method but that they were prevented from carrying out this intention by the presence of Mr. Foreman, who in fulfilling his capacity, held them rigidly to the specifications and the terms of contract. Mr. Higgins also claimed that there were no specific plans given the company indicating how the existing wall was to be dealt with.

On being further examined by the members of the committee Mr. Foreman brought some additional light of a somewhat bluish hue to bear on the situation. He stated that some of the changes which the contractors had proposed to make in the execution of the contract had been reported by him to the city engineer and the government engineer and the latter gentleman, on being warned of the proposal to alter the plans had threatened to advise the government to cancel its grant of \$25,000 toward the cost of the wall.

This information made a profound impression on the members of the committee, and after closely examining a number of plans of the wall they decided to adjourn until next Tuesday afternoon when the investigation will be resumed.

## RAILWAY PASSENGERS FIGHT FLAMES

Led by Engineer They Extinguish Fire and Save Lives of Two Women

Chillicothe, Mo., May 11.—Leaving his engine, on an eastbound Wabash passenger train, Charles Miller, an engineer yesterday led a party of fifty passengers to the burning home of Miss Daisy Whittaker near the track, west of here and extinguished the flames, probably saving the lives of Miss Whittaker and her aged mother who were asleep on the second floor of the house. The women were unaware the fire was consuming their dwelling until after the party had begun to battle with the flames.

The fire conquered, Miller returned to his engine, pulled the throttle wide open and arrived here but a few minutes late.

CONSTITUTION REJECTED.

Berlin, May 11.—The bill providing a constitution for Alsace-Lorraine was rejected in its entirety in the committee of the Reichstag to-day. The Reichstag now will attempt to settle the matter out of court, but the outlook for the bill is dubious.

FLYING RECORD.

Mouremont, France, May 11.—M. Newport, the French aviator, yesterday made what is recorded as a new world's record for 100 kilometers. Officially he covered 62.1 miles in 56 minutes and 4 seconds.



"MORE TROUBLE FOR LITTLE JOHNNY JINGO."

## SPREADING RAILS CAUSE TRAIN WRECK

One Person Killed and Twenty-Seven Injured—Two Coaches Thrown Down Embankment

Glenwood Springs, Colo., May 11.—Mrs. Katherine J. Martin, of Albany, N. Y., was the only victim of a wreck which occurred last night at Rex, four miles east of Minturn, on the Denver & Rio Grande railway. Twenty-seven others were injured, only three of them seriously.

That many others were not hurt or killed was remarkable. West bound passenger train No. 1 was derailed, supposedly by spreading tracks. The locomotive left the track and ran for the length of the train on the ties, followed by the coaches and a chair car and tourist sleeper. The third and fourth coaches, a chair car and tourist sleeper turned over and were thrown lengthwise down the embankment, with their upper ends resting on the tracks and lower ends plunged into the Eagle river which runs close to the tracks. All the injured were riding in these coaches.

Mrs. Martin's body was found in the vestibule of the tourist car underneath the truck and it has not been determined whether she was killed or drowned. The injured were taken to this city on relief trains. The seriously injured are at the railway hospital.

Despondent Man Sends Bullet in Breast, Inflicting Wound Which Proves Fatal

Los Angeles, Cal., May 11.—While Ensign Payton, of the Salvation Army, was exhorting penitents to come forward and confess their sins last night, Frank A. Campbell, aged 24, walked up the aisle, knelt in prayer for a moment and then drew a revolver and fired a bullet into his right breast. He died shortly afterward at a hospital. He had been here three months and was in fit health.

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New York, May 11.—Charles D. Granett, said to be a retired paper manufacturer of St. Louis, shot and killed himself early to-day in Riverside Park. Mr. Granett came to this city six weeks ago. He had been in poor health. He was missed last night and a search resulted in the discovery of his body underneath a clump of shrubbery along Riverside Drive. There was a bullet wound in the head and a revolver lay beside the body.

## FIVE SUFFOCATED IN COAL MINE

OVERCOME WHILE TRYING TO ESCAPE FLAMES

Six Men Saved by Rescuers Who Risk Lives to Bring Out Comrades

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 11.—Five miners lost their lives by suffocation in the Boston mine of the Delaware and Hudson Company at Larksville, near here to-day.

A strike began at the colliery Tues-

day, and only a small number of men were at work.

Fire broke out last night in a section of the mine where rock miners were employed. After midnight the alarm was sounded. Eleven men were at work in the burning section. All made their way to the main entrance, but smoke had become so dense that all were overcome.

Rescue parties, at the risk of their lives, entered the works and brought out the living, returning for the bodies of the dead, which were brought out as quickly as possible.

Several of the rescuers were overcome by the smoke and one of them dropped unconscious. He was rescued by others of the party.

## SHOOTS HIMSELF AT GOSPEL MEETING

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## MANY BUILDINGS WRECKED BY STORM

People Take Refuge in Cellars to Avoid Flying Timbers—No Fatalities Reported

Moorehead, Minn., May 11.—A great funnel shaped cloud, bringing with it a terrific wind, bore down upon Felton, a small town twenty miles north of here, yesterday afternoon, tore down a dozen buildings, blew in nearly every window in the town and tore up many trees. Only one person was hurt, so far as could be learned. He was a farmer living two and one-half miles west of Felton, who sustained serious injury. He was in his barn when it was overturned.

At Fargo, North Dakota, two dozen houses and barns were blown down and many of them carried far across the lots.

Telephone and electric light service was out of commission, and one prominent farmer seriously hurt.

At Marion, to the west of here, people hurried for their cellars to avoid debris and flying timbers. No reports of fatalities have been received yet.

Barns, machine sheds and some small houses were taken bodily from the ground and carried considerable distances.

### WILL TEST LAW.

Toronto, May 11.—The License Holders' Association has decided to test the provincial enactment imposing five per cent. tax on bar receipts.

## EIGHT PERSONS KILLED BY LIGHTING

Berlin, May 11.—During the storm that occurred throughout Germany yesterday, lightning killed eight persons in and near Hamburg, and wrecked a natural gas well which had been recently capped with the greatest difficulty.

DESPERATE MAN'S SUICIDE.

Cobalt, Ont., May 11.—Six carloads of lumber attached to an extra freight train were derailed to-day six miles north of Lamoine. No one was hurt in the wreck, but the Shasta route will be blockaded for six or seven hours. Two northbound trains will be delayed by the wreck. Wrecking trains have been dispatched from Redding and Dunsmuir.

## GERMAN AVIATOR INSTANTLY KILLED

Berlin, May 11.—Herr Bekemuller, an aviation pupil, was killed to-day when his aeroplane crashed into a building hidden from view by the mist. He had been manoeuvring over the military field at Johannishall, and unconscious flew over the enclosed fence. He had no time to save himself from the building which loomed out of the mist. The machine was wrecked.

### OBSTRUCTION ON TRACK.

Cobalt, Ont., May 11.—Motorman Berry, of the Nipissing Central car, yesterday found a large log lying across the rails about a mile north of here. A little further on a huge rock was placed. The T. & N. O. commissioners were expected to make a tour of inspection over the electric road yesterday, and the incident pointed to designs on their safety.

## ANOTHER PROTEST AGAINST CONTRACT

### BITULITHIC COMPANY NURSES A GRIEVANCE

Writes City Council Protesting Against Poor Consideration of Its Tender

The city council of Victoria has not yet heard the last of its much-criticized action in awarding the contract for the paving of the streets to one single company, the Canadian Mineral Rubber Company. The Columbia Bitulithic Company of Vancouver, which was among the prominent tenderers for parts of the work, has developed a distinct grievance which its Victoria representative has placed before the council. The company claims that its reputation, as well as the fact that it had maintained an office in the city for a long time, and advertised extensively, entitled it to more consideration than it received when competing with a firm whose previous record of work accomplished in British Columbia is nil.

Of course, the contract is awarded now and cannot be withdrawn unless the terms of it are violated by the company. Still the letter of protest is of value. Not the least significant feature about it is the date. It was dated on Saturday, mailed by Fred C. Beckett on Sunday at the post office here, but somehow or other it did not arrive in time to be considered by the council meeting on Monday, when the contract was finally ratified. The letter to the council is appended in full:

"May 6, 1911.

"Gentlemen: We observe from a report in the daily press that it is the intention of the council to formally sign and seal the contract for paving 600,000 square yards of roadway at Monday night's meeting of the council and this being the case we desire to place on record our protest with regard to the matter.

"When our company was formed last May we brought from Toronto a representative who is permanently located in Victoria and who endeavored to secure a fair share of the city's paving for this company. Our representative worked quietly to secure the support of a number of ratepayers who are favorable to bitulithic, with the result that the contract for the whole amount of work is about to be let to a company who comes into the field at the last moment and a company which has not even done any work in British Columbia.

"We feel that we have been unfairly treated inasmuch as we have maintained a representative in Victoria since last July and have been trying since then to secure at least a fair share of the work. We have spent money in advertising in this city and have been induced to believe that our tenders would be considered when the contracts were let.

"Our president has invited the council to send a deputation to Vancouver, where we are engaged on close on half a million dollars worth of work, but we were not even favored with a reply—much less than the visit of a deputa-

"In view of this we enter a protest at the entire contract being awarded an eleventh hour company and we consider that we should have been awarded at least a fair portion of the work. We are, your truly,

"COLUMBIA BITULITHIC, LTD."

### TO WELCOME BATTLESHIP.

St. Petersburg, May 11.—The naval authorities at Reval are making extensive preparations for the visit of the second division of the United States' Atlantic fleet. The battleships will be anchored in that port from June 11 to 13.

## RAISING FORCE TO AID ALBANIANS

General Garibaldi Will Lead Ten Thousand Men Against the Turkish Troops

London, May 11.—A staff correspondent of the Daily Chronicle writes from Rome giving an interview with General Ricciotti Garibaldi, who says he has enrolled a legion of ten thousand men, including Italians, Englishmen, Americans and Frenchmen, to fight in behalf of the Albanians in the struggle against Turkey. Each man is to contribute a minimum of \$15, while the sympathizers of the government in England, the United States and Italy are to subscribe funds for the purchase of arms. The correspondent says the Italian government is alarmed, and is adopting vigorous measures, searching for concealed arms and watching the ports to prevent the embarkation of Garibaldian adherents.

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At last night's meeting of the board of school trustees, much business was carried through. Reports were made on buildings being repaired or erected, showing that all was going on well. All that remains to be done on the Bank Street school is the plastering and installation of the heating plant. In regard to the roofing, the builder reported that the slates had arrived, but that the beams were smaller than required by the contract. The matter was referred to the management committee. W. Murray reported that the work on the Victoria West school was completed.

A message was received from the executive of the Teachers' Institute thanking the trustees for allowing them the use of the George Jay school during their convention.

The secretary was instructed to inform Rev. T. R. Henegar, who asked for permission to use the North Ward school for the Boy Scout meetings, that the school would not be available in the evening.

It was decided to ask the city to extend the new garbage collection system to the school grounds.

A special meeting of the board is called for Monday night, to consider the final sketch of Mr. Watkins for the new High school.

A letter asking the board to take steps to prevent the re-building of a hotel opposite the George Jay school, was received and filed. This matter is not under the jurisdiction of the trustees.

Ian St. Clair wrote to the board in connection with Ald. Hubner's idea of constructing a public swimming pavilion at the city park on the Gorge. The suggestion was made that the board try to get the use of the Y. M. C. A. swimming tank for the children of the public schools. A committee was appointed to approach Y. M. C. A. officials with the object.

**WEEKLY WEATHER REPORT.**

Victoria Meteorological Office.  
3rd to 9th May, 1911:  
Victoria—Total amount of bright sunshne, 12 hours and 42 minutes; rain, 1.34 inch; highest temperature, 57.9 on 8th; lowest, 41.3 on 6th.

Vancouver—Total amount of bright sunshne, 8 hours and 24 minutes; rain, 3.84

**REBELS ADVANCE**

**TO MEET FEDERALS**

(Continue from page 1.)

courtesy. A score of rebel officers rode up and extended to the federal commander their sympathy as Mexicans for him and his men.

General Madero himself, when he advanced yesterday afternoon to the corral, where the federal prisoners are now quartered, made an address full of sympathy and encouragement, lauding them for their bravery, and assuring them that in his heart as well as in

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will enter my army, and those who wish to remain true to the government of Diaz will be exchanged for prisoners of war or political prisoners.

"(Signed) FRANCISCO I. MADERO, Jr.

Provisional President of Mexico."

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your choice of being paroled or joining at the hands of the insurrectos. They were well fed and well cared for. We shall treat you as brothers, not as foes."

Rebel Leader's Statement.

General Madero, last night dictated

the following statement:

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## CONDITIONS IN COAL MINES

### CONCILIATION BOARD CONTINUES INQUIRY

Evidence is Submitted by  
Crow's Nest Pass Man-  
agement and Miners

Fernie, May 11.—The inquiry going on before the conciliation board here continues to grow in interest and the crowd in attendance increases each day. Yesterday brought out some new features and much corroborative evidence as to conditions in the Coal Creek mines. Manager Wilson's statements as to average earnings and cost of production especially in No. 2 mine, were most instructive and open up a new viewpoint.

Mr. Lima produced a memorandum of days lost last year. They totalled 28,30 were on account of shortage of rail-way cars to transport coal. The remainder represented loss by various causes, lack of timber, mine cars, etc. He thought at least six days were directly chargeable to laxity of the management, but the loss of \$25 did not represent the loss he thought the management was responsible for.

Other witnesses gave evidence corroborating the lack of timber and trackage when needed and hardships connected with the handling of mine cars and heavy timbers.

One witness, Beattie, had to go out of his room to get help to push cars up the incline and to put up heavy timbers. This interrupted the matter of compensating in case of injury received while out of his place.

J. W. Gray, besides other evidence regarding lack of material, stated that as a member of the pit committee he was of the opinion that the men generally believed that referring grievances tended to prejudice them with the officials.

The chairman thought that if such was the fact it would render useless the action of such committee. He offered to take Mr. Gray's private statement regarding this if he so desired, and the witness expressed his willingness to do so, but decided to answer questions bearing on this feature before the board.

Manager Wilson stated that the total tonnage taken from No. 2 mine during the years 1909 and 1910 was 203,632, and the cost \$2.95 per ton, the average selling price had been \$2.29, a net loss of thirty cents a ton, or a total for the two years' product of \$60,000.

Some discussion arose over the statement produced by Chairman Stockwell of the operators, showing the daily wages of men engaged in No. 2 mine to be \$2.59. It developed that the twenty-five names on the list did not comprise all the men who had worked in that mine during the time covered by the statements. The exact average could not be ascertained as the pit boss could not state from memory how many men had come and gone from the mine.

### PSEUDONYMS NOT LEGAL

Prague, May 11.—Is it legal and honorable to repudiate bills of exchange signed with a stage or other pseudonym? The courts here have held that it is not, but the supreme court rendered a decision to-day to the opposite effect. The question arose in this way:

In 1908 Emmy Destinn, the opera singer, gave a bill of exchange for a debt contracted with a Prague tradesman. She repudiated it on the ground that it was not signed with her real name. She was beaten in two courts, but the supreme court decided in her favor.

The court said it was not a question of honorable dealing or even of civil liability, but simply as to whether the law relating to bills of exchange which provides that the acceptor's real name must be signed thereto, had been complied with. The court added that no legal rights can be acquired by the use of a pen or stage name.

### ATTEMPT TO WRECK MONUMENT

(Special to The Times.)

Montreal, May 11.—What was apparently an attempt to wreck the famous monument to Maisonneuve which stands in Place D'Armes was discovered yesterday afternoon. The bronze figure of Jeanne Mance was found to have been moved inches from its base. As the figure weighs fully a ton, had it fallen the whole structure might have been seriously damaged. A crowbar was found lying behind the figure. There are no traces of the perpetrators.

### NO BILL

Vancouver, May 11.—The grand jury at the criminal assizes brought in a no bill in the case against J. P. McConnell, editor of the Saturday Sunset, for criminal libel. The case arose in the first place out of remarks made by the Sun-set about Mr. Nick Clark and his associates in connection with various Fort George enterprises.

### BEATEN TO DEATH

Santa Rosa, Cal., May 11.—R. E. Wood, a laborer, was beaten to death in Blackburn Gulch by Thomas White, a wood cutter, who dragged the body fifty yards to a creek and threw it into the stream. White then walked to a neighboring house and stated that he had found a dead body in the creek. Returning to his cabin, near the scene of the crime, he attempted to cut his throat. He was arrested and placed in the county jail, where, it is said, he will recover.

### WANTED BY POLICE

Seattle, Wash., May 11.—A warrant was issued yesterday for the arrest of George Bushart, station agent of the N. P. R. at Denton, who is charged with the theft of \$1,300 from his employer. The shortage in his accounts is said to be much greater than this sum.

## THINKING THEMES

BY DR. FRANK CRANE

There is not much doubt but that a too fine house is immoral. There is some excuse for royal palaces, and a King may have the right to live in a house with two hundred rooms, because he represents the public in a way, and in monarchies the people feel the monarch's magnificence to be theirs. But what right has a pork packer or a brewer, a clothier or a son-of-somebody—who represents no one but himself, to luxury and extravagance? I have no objection to a man living in a palace, only along with glory ought to go responsibility. The curse of twentieth century riches is not that it rules, for somebody has to rule, and I would as soon be governed by a millionaire as by a czar; but it is that it rules without being responsible. Money is immoral only because it does as it pleases. These millionaires' sons today are far more of a buccaneer and has far more unbridled power than had the medieval barons, for the feudal lords at least fought at the head of their retainers and protected their dependents.

There has been much cheap carpentry at the money wasted in building cathedrals, but the cathedral belonged quite as much to the poor as to the rich. The poor old woman, with her basketful of eggs, kneels in the light of its gorgeous rose-window, and shares in the consolation of the mass, as freely as the duchess in her stiff satin robes. Nothing is too glorious nor too costly for the people. Glory and finery are not immoral in themselves, they only become so when they cease to be patriotic.

RAILWAYS TO BE  
BUILT IN CHINA

## Action of Government May Cause Revolt in Southern Provinces

Peking, May 11.—The opening of China, discussed for half a century, seems imminent. The southern provinces, which are hostile to foreign enterprises and the Manchu dynasty, seem stunned by the reorganized government's boldness. In the provinces and a counteraction is anxiously awaited.

A revolution is possible, but it is generally believed the people in the provinces will not seriously resist the imperial edict, which authorizes the conclusion of the Hukwang loan of \$30,000,000 for railroad construction.

The government has announced that it would release the provinces of control of all trunk line projects, the provinces having demonstrated their inability to construct these, and also that it would construct immense trunk lines throughout the Empire.

For this purpose, the government intends to employ foreign loans and foreign engineers.

This programme has long been considered, but no steps were taken to carry it out, largely because of suspicion of Great Britain, France and Germany. It is generally believed this suspicion has been dispelled through the alliance of United States bankers with those of the three other countries.

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### RIDICULES JAPAN'S CLAIMS

New York, May 11.—Japan is a nation of "Emperorkilling"—mere upstarts—according to Pierre Botkin, Russian minister to Morocco, who had been sent to America as special commissioner to the seal convention at Washington. Great Britain, Russia and Japan have sent delegates.

"Long before Japan was heard of," the Russian said on his arrival here, "Russia was there and held the right to hunt seals along the eastern Siberian coast. Japan's assertion of the same rights as Russia, was one of the causes of late war. Who ever heard of Japan twenty years ago? Can you imagine them putting in such a demand?" What are they, but upstarts?"

### KILLED HER HUSBAND

New York, May 11.—Mrs. Francis O'Shaughnessy, who murdered her husband several days ago to "save his soul," as she explained, has written a printed statement which had married her to use her savings of \$140 for her husband's funeral expenses. "I love him still," she wrote, "but please see that no flowers are accepted from me, the woman who ruined both our lives." O'Shaughnessy was buried from an undertaking parlor. One carriage followed the bier.

### SOLD HIS BODY AND SOUL

Chicago, May 11.—Charles Kitterick, who sold his "body and soul" to seven men at the National Maternity hospital, died at the hospital Tuesday night. Kitterick was suffering from a peculiar form of locomotor ataxia, and by the terms of the bill of sale of his body, the corpse will be used for clinical study. Kitterick sold himself for \$1, and used the money to pay the last bill he owed, his room rent. Record of the sale was filed with the county recorder Tuesday.

### WANTED BY POLICE

Seattle, Wash., May 11.—A warrant was issued yesterday for the arrest of George Bushart, station agent of the N. P. R. at Denton, who is charged with the theft of \$1,300 from his employer. The shortage in his accounts is said to be much greater than this sum.

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### ARTIST AT WORK

Three Banks in Toronto Are  
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Vancouver, May 11.—A clever cheque juggling with the name of Messrs. Wm. Braid & Co., Ltd., and drawn on the Vancouver branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia. Each was signed by "Wm. Braid, Manager," and were counterfeited by "Lionel Hilary." The signature was slightly in error, as the title of the Vancouver firm is Messrs. Wm. Braid & Company. He, however, did not take notice of the forged signature, and the forged signature was accepted. It was assumed that the forged signature was that of the Vancouver branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia. All three cheques were made payable to F. W. English, who cashed them at three separate banking institutions in Toronto.

It was natural that the forgers could not be detected until they reached the bank's branches here for presentation to the Bank of Nova Scotia. The cheques bore date of April 27 and were cashed on May 3, giving the culprit at least a week's start of the authorities. Their apparent genuineness, apart from the printed form and the forged signature, was detected here. The cheques were cashed on the finest kind of watermarked paper, such as used by banking institutions. The loss, of course, will fall upon the three victimized banks.

About a year ago a forger pursued the same methods successfully in Detroit, using the name of Messrs. Kelly, Douglas & Company, of this city. He raised large amounts and thus far had succeeded. He posed as a buyer for the Vancouver firm, his victims being wholesale houses with whom he placed large orders for goods.

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**CIVIC PENSIONS.**

The recent retirement of Mr. Charles Kent from the position of city treasurer and the difficulty in which the city council finds itself in the matter of adequate recognition of his long and valuable services brings forward in a very practical and personal way the question of civic pensions for retired employees. No one who is in sympathy with the spirit of the times can fail to feel the justice of the stand which is in Mr. Kent's complaint respecting the manner in which the honorarium of the council was limited and the position of the council is unfortunate, in that no legal provision has been made for the redress of such grievances.

The city of Winnipeg, a much younger metropolis than Victoria, has set itself to the task of outlining a way in which the after-years of retired civic employees may in some degree be provided for. A pension schedule has been devised by a sub-committee of the city council, and there is no doubt that its recommendations will become law and incorporated in the clauses of the civic charter.

The device of the pension committee recommends that any civic employee who has been in the service of the city for twenty years continuously shall be entitled to a fixed annual sum during the remainder of his life up to sixty-five years. The sum is graduated upon the salary received by the employee and the number of years he has been in the service, and the method of calculation is simple, leaving no room for misunderstanding. The rate of pension is one-fiftieth of the salary at the time of retiring multiplied by the number of years' service. Thus a salary of \$1,000 per annum, the retirement being at twenty years, would entitle the ex-employee to an annual pension of \$400—longer years and higher salary accordingly. The pensions are to be paid monthly.

The services of heads of departments are to be retained by the city after the retirement as an advisory board, for which no additional allowance is made, excepting as the council may decide.

This appears to be an altogether admirable arrangement and one calculated to secure permanency of service on the part of the chiefly valuable civic servants as well as efficiency in their work. The evasions of certain forms of civic service are such as preclude the possibility of speculation or engagement in any avocation for the increasing of the regular increment, and the knowledge that years of faithful work will not fail of some degree of compensation in advanced age will determine many men to settle down and devote their lives to the service of their own city when the attractions of other exploitations might tempt them from city work. At any rate the depressing anticipation of inadequate provision for old age would be removed, and that itself would lighten many a heavy task.

We believe that some such provision made early in the history of a city would do much to enhance the interest taken by those who may be its servants, and that with a pension in view a more stable staff of employees in every department would be secured.

It is not too late in the history of Victoria for the adoption of such or a similar pension scheme, and the reprehensible incidents which have so recently occurred would be incapable of repetition.

**PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT.**

The character of public entertainment as provided by the professional artists who grace the average play house is seriously degenerating. We do not mean, altogether, the moral

character, but the general attractiveness, literary and art value, of the ordinary performance. No one is inclined to deny that the regular evening performance caters to a large circle of people who are glad to secure that much opportunity for light diversion in an otherwise strenuous life. But that is no reason why the bills should be allowed to degenerate to a degree of ineptitude and intolerable performance that has of late become the fixed habit of the average show house. Without especial reference to Victoria, it may be said that vaudeville has become so nondescript and lacking in merit that much of it is nothing more than insufferable. For as much as a month at a time some vaudeville houses do not present a single number that is of equal merit with the most crude, inartistic and hayseed variety supplied by the giftless amateur. Some of the numbers presented on the bills in a well-say Seattle—would, if these performers were playing in their home village lose for them the acquaintance of dearest friends. They would be cut dead, forever disgraced. Yet they are permitted to go on a vaudeville circuit and draw large weekly indemnities, while it is their audiences who should be indemnified. When a number of such duos and trios are gathered together in a single bill, as is most regularly the case, the tolerance of the public is strained to the breaking point. It is no use arguing that high class talent costs too much money. No manager has a right to take the people's money and inflict on the public the sort of shows that have been disgracing the circuits of, say, New York—for some time past. We are aware that so long as no one complains in a loud and lusty manner things will go on just the same as they are at present, and that is why we cry out on behalf of the public that New York be spared further infliction of the sort that has been rampant now for a long time.

Somebody in New York will wake up one of these fine mornings and find out that arrangements are being made for another vaudeville house in the Metropolitan city, and then the companies that play at Vancouver will not be robbed of their choicest talent and the others who are leave-overs of whom their employers are ashamed will not be sent on to New York to play out their engagements and gather skeletoons of the guileless public who are too tired of it to raise a protest.

A retired journalist writes an interesting story on reminiscences of a newspaper man. We have a few too, but we don't dwell on them.

Anti-reciprocityites now claim that Sir Wilfrid hasn't been very reciprocal with Premier McBride. There is too little reciprocity all round.—Winnipeg Tribune.

The Times congratulates the Victoria students for their very excellent showing in the various examinations at McGill University. By comparison Victoria has certainly sustained its reputation in the ranks for aggressive students.

Jardine read out of Liberal party for—Hawthornthwaite denounced by the Socialist party. Sifton welcomed by Borden in the Conservative party. What an all comprehending and inclusive haven of refuge that party is.

"Shall we Whip?" is the interrogatory title of an editorial in the Winnipeg Evening Telegram. If the Evening Telegram were in Hon. Frank Oliver's place and Mr. Dan Macgillivray were still in his present place we can pretty nearly guess what the answer would be.

Yes! That settles it. Victoria is the place. The Colonist has spoken. The above are the "facts" and they can't be changed no matter who may say anything to the contrary. All Victoria business men need to do is lie in the lap of luxury and let the morning paper manage that west coast trade.

If the Colonist fears that the dear public is still harboring some suspicions as to the propriety of the transfer of railway lands in Manitoba and Saskatchewan, let it influence some of its friends to lay a specific charge against Hon. Frank Oliver. He has openly courted the fullest investigation. We are sorry to see the usually dignified morning paper resorting to another back-hand slap.

Fancy quotations and delicate circumspection in the choice of words abound in Conservative organs when dealing with the case of Hon. Frank Oliver. Such terms as "alleged facsimile of a bank account," or "The blank blank suggests that the transfer of this money may have had some connection with the exchange of lands for the railway." If it were not that the Ottawa Free Press retorts with a "rumor current in the lobby" of parliament that there is a general understanding that those who vote against reciprocity are to be provided for and that those who do not will have to work without indemnity after July 25, we should almost blush for the Fourth Estate. Under the circumstances, however, the Free Press is quite justified in making the insinuation and calling for proofs that the insinuation is not warranted.

**RETIREMENT OF CITY TREASURER.**

To the Editor:—It was with feelings of shame and amusement that I read the announcement that our city council propose to give Mr. Kent, the late city treasurer, the munificent sum of \$500 in recognition (?) of his long and faithful services, extending over a period of nearly a quarter of a century.

During the whole of that time Mr. Kent was most assiduous in the performance of his duties and spared neither his time nor his health in the public service. Having had the honor of serving the city as mayor for three years, I have good reason to know how hard he worked in its interest, what faithful service he rendered, and how he worked often for hours after the city hall was closed in order that the work of the office might not get in arrears. He did, in fact, as one of the aldermen remarked, "The work of two men."

How has he been rewarded? Thus, after 22 years spent in the public service, when, within a few months of 80 years of age, his health broke down owing to the great strain he had been undergoing without any relaxation for many years, he felt compelled to resign his office. The resignation was accepted and the sum named above voted for him. What a commentary upon the justice, liberality and generosity of the wealthy city of Victoria, and how proud her citizens must be at the generous (?) provision made by the council for an old and faithful official who has worn himself out in the public service.

In the ordinary course of nature Mr. Kent cannot live many years, and the least council should do would be to see that those few years shall be free from financial care and anxiety.

It may be said that the council has no power to do that, but the authority can be obtained from the ratemakers, and I would suggest that a by-law be introduced and submitted to provide a retiring allowance of \$1,500 for Mr. Kent during the remainder of his life.

Such a by-law would, I am confident, receive hearty support, and be carried with a large majority, and I trust that some alderman will introduce such a by-law, and thereby save the city from the shame and reproach of having neglected to make some provision for the old age of an official who has rendered such faithful service.

CHAS. E. REDFERN.

Victoria, B. C., May 11, 1911.

**NO WORD OF CREW.**

Men on Schooner Fishmaid, Which Capsized, Have Not Been Heard Of.

Wireless messages were received at the Gonzales Hill station last night from Prince Rupert, which was in communication with the steamer Humboldt, stating that the Alaskan boat had sighted the gasoline fishing schooner Fishmaid, New Westminster, bottom up off Tree Point, Alaska, on Tuesday night.

The Humboldt saw nothing of the crew of the vessel, which is supposed to have numbered six men, including Capt. Chris Johnston, her master. The Fishmaid was only a small craft of ten tons, being fifty feet long and propelled by a 30 horse-power engine.

**PERSONAL.**

Mrs. H. Currie, 107 Government street, will not receive until further notice.

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and child. The remains have been moved to the Victoria Undertaking Parlors, whence the funeral will take place at a date to be announced later.

The death occurred at St. Joseph's hospital this morning of Albert Victor Rourk, aged 34. Deceased was a seaman, born in Birmingham, England. He is survived in this city by a wife

The funeral of the late Mrs. Helen Lorenz took place yesterday afternoon at Ross Bay cemetery.

Watson took place from the family residence, Topaz avenue, this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Joseph McCoy conducted services. Interment was made in Ross Bay cemetery. The pallbearers were: E. Yarwood, E. McDonald, A. M. McDonald, H. M. Austin, B. Gonnan and J. D. McDonald. Interment was made in Ross

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The reception to be given by the Native Sons of B. C. Post No. 1 with which is amalgamated the Pioneer Society of B. C. to Pioneer Society and Native Sons and Daughters, in the new Alexandra Club on Thursday the 11th, promises to be a most brilliant and successful affair, and no stone has been left unturned by the various committees to make the reception a memorable one. Invitations have been issued to a very large number, but all members of both the Pioneer Society and the Native Sons, should bear in mind that invitations are not being issued to them it being expected that they will put in an appearance without one.

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A grant of \$2,000 has been made to the Nanaimo Athletic Association by the provincial government towards its \$10,000 campaign fund.

An executive meeting of the Vancouver Island Development League will be held in the board of trade rooms on Monday afternoon next at 4:30 o'clock.

The regular monthly meeting of the Victoria Cymrodion Society will be held in the Sir William Wallace Hall, Broad street, to-night at 8 o'clock.

In reply to an inquiry it may be said that Tom Phillips did not play in any lacrosse games in Vancouver last season. Phillips is a hockey expert, not a lacrosse player.

The Fourth Troop, V. B. S. will meet at their club room, Simcoe street, on Friday at 7:30 sharp. All members of the troop are requested to be present; otherwise they will not be able to take part in the 24th of May celebrations. Uniforms must be worn.

Before the Royal Society of Canada in Toronto on May 17 a paper dealing with seismological observations on this coast, the work of F. Naples Denison will be read by R. F. Stuart, the director of meteorological service in Canada.

The federal government is advertising in another column for tenders for steam coal for the B. C. fleet of dredges. These have to be sent to H. A. Bayfield, superintendent of dredging, New Westminster, before 4 p. m., Wednesday, May 24. Specifications may be seen in the office of the Public Works Department, post office building.

The Imperial Veterans of Canada are notified of a meeting on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, in Captain D. Melton's office, Mahon building, to make arrangements for furnishing a guard of honor to the floats in the forthcoming coronation celebration. All who have served in either the Imperial or Canadian forces for ten years are eligible as members of the Imperial Veterans.

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NICE NAVEL ORANGES, per dozen; 35¢ and.....	25¢
NICE JUICY LEMONS, per dozen.....	25¢
FINE RIPE BANANAS, per dozen.....	35¢
PURE WHITE CASTILE SOAP, long bar.....	20¢
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ANTI-COMBINE LAUNDRY SOAP, 7 full-weight bars.....	25¢
SUNLIGHT or LIFEBOUY SOAP, 11 bars for.....	50¢
GOLDEN WEST WASHING POWDER, large 3-lb. packet.....	20¢
PEARLINE, 2 large packets.....	25¢
CHLORIDE OF LIME, per tin.....	10¢
LAUNDRY STARCH, in bulk, 3 pounds for.....	25¢
PURE WEST INDIA LIME JUICE, quart bottle, 20¢	20¢
STOWER'S LIME JUICE CORDIAL, per bottle, 35¢	35¢
MONSERAT LIME JUICE, per bottle, 65¢ and.....	35¢
PURE RASPBERRY VINEGAR, quart bottle, 25¢	25¢
ANTI-COMBINE ESSENCES, all flavors, 8-oz. bottle.....	50¢
4-oz. bottle.....	35¢
2-oz. bottle.....	20¢
PURNELL'S PURE MALT VINEGAR, quart bottle for.....	15¢
ROWAT'S ENGLISH PICKLES, large, 20-oz. bottle.....	15¢
GILLARD'S ENGLISH PICKLES, all kinds, per jar.....	25¢

HEINTZ' CHILI SAUCE, per bottle.....	35¢
RYE FLOUR, 10-lb. sack.....	45¢
CANADIAN CORN STARCH, 3 packets for.....	25¢
CALIFORNIA TOMATOES, 2 large cans.....	25¢
TARTAN TOMATOES, per can.....	15¢
CORN, PEAS or BEANS, 2 cans for.....	25¢
FRENCH PEAS, 2 cans for.....	25¢
FRESH LOCAL RHUBARB, 6 pounds for.....	25¢
COX'S GELATINE, per packet.....	10¢
ANTI-COMBINE JELLY POWDER, 4 pkts. for.....	25¢
MAPLE FLAVOR SYRUP, quart tin.....	25¢
CHIVER'S JAM, Strawberry or Raspberry, two 1-lb. glass jars.....	35¢
Or 4-pound tin.....	60¢
ROYAL or PRICE'S BAKING POWDER, 12-ounce can.....	35¢
CREAM OF WHEAT, per packet.....	20¢
CANADA FIRST or ST. CHARLES' CREAM, large 20-oz. can.....	10¢
CLARK'S POTTED MEATS, 4 tins for.....	25¢
CORNMEAL, 10-lb. sack.....	35¢
COLMAN'S MUSTARD, half-pound tin.....	25¢

PURE BLACK PEPPER, per pound.....	25¢
PURE SPICES, all kinds, 3 tins for.....	25¢
ANTI-COMBINE TEA, in lead packets, 3 lbs. \$1.00	\$1.00
BLUE RIBBON TEA, white label, per lb.....	40¢
TETLEY'S LOOSE TEA, 4 lbs. for.....	\$1.00
CHASE & SANBORN'S COFFEE, 1-lb. tin.....	40¢
2-lb. tin.....	75¢
RED LABEL COFFEE, per pound tin.....	25¢
FRY'S BREAKFAST COCOA, half-pound tin.....	25¢
GHIRARDELLI GROUND CHOCOLATE, 1-lb. tin for.....	40¢
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## NEWS OF SPORT

### WHITES AND BLUES AT ATHLETIC PARK

Big Lacrosse Practice This Evening—Senior Team to Be Picked

The picking of the representative Victoria lacrosse team has been put off several times now and the boys are beginning to complain that if somebody does not move pretty quickly there will be no time to practice before May 24, the date of the first provincial game. However, a big practice is being held to-night at the Royal Athletic park, and the selection committee will be on hand to choose their men. About 24 have a chance to make this team and they will be divided into two twelves, designated the "Whites" and the "Blues," and tried out against one another.

The two teams will be chosen from the following: Kroeger, McArthur, A. Dakers, Petticrew, Morris, McGregor,

Clegg, H. Campbell, Styles, Redgrave, Ross, Young, Dempster, A. Campbell, Jenkins, Owens, Johnson, Frank Sweeney, Joe Dakers, Noel Brynjolfson, L. Sweeney, Humber, Carsa, MacDonald, "Boss" Johnson and Clute. The game will start at 6:15 sharp.

At the meeting of the lacrosse association held last night the resignation of Stanley Peale as treasurer was accepted and Everett Taylor elected to his place. Joe Hancock will act as trainer of the senior team, his duty being to see that the players are always in shape to play lacrosse. Stanley Peale was appointed chairman of the selection committee.

There were present: E. Christopher, president; A. Cars, J. Dakers, J. Hancock, D. Campbell, and Leo Sweeney.

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### WELL KNOWN HORSES COMING THIS WEEK

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Victorians who are fond of horse racing will, in spite of the fact that the meet this year only extends over a period of seven days, enjoy some real sport. Those who have visited the race track and watched the thoroughbred breeding out say that in no previous year has there been such a high grade of horses assembled together in Victoria, or, for that matter, in British Columbia.

One of the directors of the Victoria

Country Club, pointing to Glorio, owned by W. Fine, exclaimed, "There is an animal that has come within a fifth of a second of breaking two world's records." And Glorio is not the only one, for there is hardly a scrub horse in the large number already stabled at the Willows.

Word has been received from R. F. Leighton that two carloads of horses had left Los Angeles on Saturday. These are the horses of E. Wright, C. MacDonald, W. See, G. Durker and L. Stout. Included in this shipment are that well known trio of thoroughbreds Arasee, Rose Vale and Hours. The fact that Mr. Wright has decided to race Arasee here is a high compliment to Victoria, as that horse is valued at \$8,000, a high price for a horse under existing racing conditions.

Charles W. Clark, the millionaire owner of the Eli Paloma stable at San Mateo, has made entries for Cluny and Venetian in the three stake events here, and will doubtless include a sufficient number of his other horses to make up a car. W. P. Maxwell, manager of the Oakwood Stock Farm at Lincoln, California, leaves this week for Victoria. He has no fewer than twelve racers, with which he hopes to annex his share of the purse money.

Chris Martin, another owner of wide reputation, has already settled down at the track and is working his horses, Ada Meado, Dargin and Sneezer regularly. Dargin has been entered in the Inauguration stake event and Ada

Meado in the three, Inauguration, Celebration, and Coronation.

The meet opens on May 20, a week from Saturday, and continues until the following Saturday, May 27. The permit issued by the Oak Bay council at their last meeting only allowed for six days, but upon application they granted an extra day. The sport will then be continued in Vancouver under the auspices of the Vancouver Jockey Club for 14 days and the H. C. Thoroughbred Association for the same time. It will then be brought to a conclusion in Victoria, with another week's meet.

WATTELET PROTESTS  
UMPIRE SHACKLEFORD

Official's Decisions Are Affecting Attendance at Games

It is not unlikely that Umpire Shackleford will be replaced before the week is out and at all events it is improbable that he will officiate in Victoria again, unless he makes a great change in his style. Last night Manager Wattelet sent a telegram to President Lindsay,

saying that a new umpire be sent to Victoria.

The explanation of the request was that the fans would not stand for Shackleford's work. It was affecting the attendance at the games, and, if continued, the local club would not be able to pay for the consequences. This implies that his royal umpire may have to dig under the bleacher one of these days to escape the wrath of the "bugs." No one is questioning Shackleford's fairness. He certainly cannot be called a "bomber," nor can he be said to favor the visitors. But his raw decisions, no matter in whose favor, are spoiling the game. A school boy could see that he lacks experience and, as one of the Seattle sport writers stated, he is practicing at the Northwestern League's expense. What makes the heat rise under the fan collars is that on several occasions he has fallen down when a correct ruling meant a couple of runs for Victoria.

What the outcome will be is hard to say, but if President Lindsay does not comply with Wattelet's request the matter will certainly come up at the meeting of the league directors in Seattle next Sunday.

### ABOUT BASEBALL

Eddie is still there with the big stick. He gets his two or three long hits as regular as his meals and his batting average is going up by leaps and bounds.

Netzel thought he wasn't going to get a hit yesterday. My, what a disgusted man when he flogged for the fourth time.

Team standing:

	W.	L.	Pct.
Spokane	18	4	.518
Seattle	12	7	.631
Vancouver	10	9	.526
Portland	8	12	.400
Tacoma	8	14	.383
Victoria	5	15	.250

It is time that fence at the ball park was fixed. Next time the Indians land

With the recent rains, the Willows Track is fast rounding into grand shape, and the gallopers out there are being sent along at a good clip and some fast work is reported from day to day in preparation for the coming meet. The entries for the \$500 Coronation Handicap of 1½ miles to be run on Saturday, May 7th are as follows:

Delmas  
Ayame  
Arassee  
Dr. Bodine  
Salmoia  
Ada Meado  
Venetian  
Cluny  
Glorio  
Seth  
Dr. Dougherty  
Sir John  
Zinkand  
Silver Grain  
Johnstown  
Blondy  
Roy Junior  
Legate  
Jack Paine  
Daddy Gip  
Tony Faust  
Miss Roberts  
Velshni  
Fredonia  
Ocean Queen  
Beau Mon  
Abelia  
Judge Henderson  
Sir Angus  
Eddie Grancy  
Royal River.

This should prove to be one of the nicest races of the meeting, and one that should not be overlooked, with such a fast entry list.



SPOKANE "INDIANS" BASEBALL TEAM.

Left to right (top row).—Bonner, p.; Zimmerman, c. f.; Kippert, i. f.; Hasty, c.; Frisk, r. f.; Netzel, 3 b.; Nordyke, 1 b.; Cooney, s. s.; Cartwright, utility; bottom row) Schwenk, p.; Willis, p.; Ostdeck, manager; Englehardt, p.; Kraft, p.; Tauscher, 2 b.

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## SPOKANE INDIANS TAKE ANOTHER GAME

Score Level in Fifth—Parks  
Throws Away Chance to  
Retire Side

Yesterday's was a good game, but was not quite so close as the score indicates. Victoria again had hard luck with her pitchers and the Indians, as usual, had horse shoes hanging all over them. As an instance of the way the play went against Victoria, in the last of the seventh the Islanders worked beautifully. Million waiting them out until he got a pass, Goodman slaming out a single, Householder a double and Kellar was hit by the ball; the net result of all this was one run.

When the Indians come to bat the first man up, Cooney, swatted out what under ordinary circumstances, was no more than a base hit, but, as luck would have it, the sphere landed between the top of the fence and the netting and Cooney had nothing to do but walk around the bases. And yet it must be admitted that the visitors deserved to win. Their fielding was, on the whole, neater and their hitting more timely.

Belford went into the box for Victoria and for the first two innings he did well, allowing but three hits and one run, which, judging by the score, must have been piled up every day this week, was not at all bad. But in the third the redskins fell upon him and they did as fine a job in massacring his benders as ever their namesakes were credited with. They knocked the ball all over the lot, for two two-baggers, a Homer and a single; got two passes on balls and stole a base. Not only that, but Million bungled a fly ball, which, although coming at good speed, he should have nabbed. When the torture ended, to the accompaniment of groans from the bleachers, the bell clang'd five times.

In the next inning the southpaw, Parks, whom Eddie recruited from

retired to the bench after futile efforts to lift the ball over Cooney's head, the fans gave up all hope. But there was still a wiggle left in the disgruntled Islanders and they cut down Spokane's lead of five in a surprising manner. Householder and Kellar singled and "Jockey" Ward took Reddick's place at bat. This was the first time Ward had been seen in action since the team returned and his performance made the fans wonder why. He lifted the ball over the fence just as neatly as Frisk had done earlier in the game. That was the end of the fun for Thomas, batting for Roche, who was thrown out at first.

Ten Million had a little hard luck when he tried to cut off the runner at the plate in the second inning just as he had done the day before. He made a beautiful throw the only fault that was two or three feet to the wrong side of the pan and before Roche could recover Zimmerman had slid in.

The score was:

Victoria								
A. B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.			
Davis, I. f. ....	5	2	3	2	0			
Raymer, 2 b. ....	4	1	1	4	2			
Million, c. f. ....	4	0	2	0				
Goodman, 3 b. ....	1	2	8	0				
Householder, r. f. ....	2	4	1	0				
Kellar, 1 b. ....	4	1	2	8	0			
Frisk, r. f. ....	3	0	1	1	2			
Reddick, s. a. ....	0	0	6	0				
Belford, p. ....	1	0	0	0	2			
Parks, p. ....	0	0	0	1				
Ward, s. a. ....	1	1	0	0	0			
Thomas, p. ....	1	0	0	0	0			
Totals ..... 39	9	14	27	5				

Ward batted for Roche in the ninth.

Thomas batted for Parks in the ninth.

Spokane

Spokane								
A. B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.			
Netzel, 3 b. ....	5	1	1	1	2			
Cooney, s. s. ....	6	3	2	4	2			
Raymer, 2 b. ....	3	2	0	0				
Million, c. f. ....	5	1	2	12	0			
Nordyke, 1 b. ....	5	1	2	3	1			
Zimmerman, c. f. ....	3	1	2	3	1			
Tauscher, 2 b. ....	4	0	2	2	3			
Cartwright, 2 b. ....	0	0	0	0	0			
Kippert, l. f. ....	0	0	0	0	0			
Hasty, c. ....	4	0	1	4	0			
Willis, p. ....	4	1	1	0	3			
Totals ..... 32	11	13	27	15				

Score by Innings.

Spokane ..... 0 1 4 0 0 5 0 1 0 -11

Victoria ..... 0 0 0 0 2 1 0 3 -9

Summary.

Stolen bases—Netzel, Nordyke, Zimmerman, Kippert, Davis, Raymer, Sacrifice hits—Raymer, Reddick. Two base hits—Belford, Parks.

Spokane—Netzel, Nordyke, Zimmerman, Kippert, Davis, Raymer, Sacrifice hits—Raymer, Reddick. Two base hits—Belford, Parks.

weakened in the sixth after two men were out.

The score was:

Seattle								
A. B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.			
Cocash, c. f. ....	3	0	1	1	0			
Raymond, s. s. ....	4	0	0	2	3			
Davidson, l. f. ....	4	0	0	1	0			
Weed, r. f. ....	4	0	1	2	1			
Crichton, 3 b. ....	4	0	1	1	1			
Lizard, 2 b. ....	0	0	0	0	0			
Kading, 1 b. ....	2	0	0	1	1			
Shea, c. ....	2	1	0	6	2			
Seaton, p. ....	2	1	0	1	1			
Totals ..... 30	1	4	27	14	1			

Tacoma

Tacoma								
A. B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.			
Bassey, l. f. ....	1	0	2	0	0			
Rockenfield, 2 b. ....	1	0	1	0	1			
Morse, s. s. ....	4	0	1	2	5			
Lillard, r. f. ....	4	0	1	1	0			
Abbott, c. f. ....	4	0	1	0	0			
Coleman, 3 b. ....	4	0	0	0	1			
Burns, c. ....	3	0	0	4	0			
Hall, p. ....	3	0	0	0	8			
Warren, s. a. ....	1	0	0	0	0			
Totals ..... 32	0	5	27	6	1			

Score by Innings.

Seattle ..... 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 -1

Tacoma ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 -0

Summary.

Stolen bases—Netzel, Nordyke, Zimmerman, Kippert, Davis, Raymer. Sacrifice hits—Raymer, Reddick. Two base hits—Belford, Parks.

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VICTORIA "ISLANDERS" BASEBALL TEAM.

Left to right (top row)—Goodman, 3 b.; Brown, p.; Davis, l. f.; Sage, p.; Thomas, p.; Ward, s. a.; McCreevy, p.; Raymer, 2 b.; Dashwood, c.; Roche, c.; Kellar, 1 b. and s. s.; (bottom r-w) Parks, p.; Reddick, s. a.; Belford, p.; Householder, manager and r. f.; Manes, 1 b.; Clementson, utility; Million, c. f.

the Twilight league, was given his first chance and he certainly made an auspicious opening, for, with four pitched balls he struck out Netzel at present hitting often than any man in the league. For just two sessions he was the big sensation, completely baffling the visitors' best batters, but he, like Belford, was unable to stand the strain and in the sixth particularly gave the game away.

The Islanders had all the chance in the world, until the sixth for they had scored three earned runs in the first inning and two in the fifth, which offset Spokane's one in the second and four in the third. When the fans understood that the score was level, a roar, that almost lifted the roof of the grand stand waited its note of encouragement to Edward and his hard working contingent. The home team were helped along in the fifth by their only piece of luck during the afternoon. Davis had poked the ball into a far off corner and taken third and Raymer had brought him in with a well placed single. The latter then stole second, according to the empire, but, undoubtedly, he was out a mile.

After Million had struck out and Goodman had been pegged at first, Householder brought Reddick in with a three-base hit. Had Shackleford given a fair decision at second, the score would not have been tied, for Householder died at third.

The sixth saw Victoria's finish and again it was clearly demonstrated that the Islanders are playing under "jinks." When two men had fallen victims to Parks' puzzling shanks, only one, Willis, had reached first. Cooney then came up and, striking blindly at an inshoat, caught the ball with the handle of his bat and popped up a fly in the vicinity of the initial sack. Kellar was expecting a bunt and ran in. The result was a two-bagger. Then Parks unfastened his moorings and took a joy ride amongst the gathering clouds. He, himself, was directly responsible for three of the five runs being tallied. The ball was batted straight at him and instead of playing immediately for the batter as he should have done, there being two out, he hesitated, made a motion towards home and then threw to Kellar, after the man had already crossed the sack. This mistake might reasonably be said to have lost the game for the Islanders.

SEATTLE TURNS TABLES.

Seattle turned the tables on Tacoma yesterday winning by 1-0. Hall held the visitors down to four hits, but he

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**CORONATION FETE**  
● **PROGRAMME GROWS**

Mass Church Choirs on Parliament Square—Arion Club  
Floral-Parade

The management committee of the coronation fete festivities met yesterday afternoon and heard satisfactory reports from H. Cuthbert, the honorary secretary. He reported that the government had donated \$2,000 and the city council \$3,000 towards the cost of the function. Fifty local societies have been written to in regard to having floats in the joint parade and several of the organizations had replied that their orders would be represented by floats.

Those who have not replied are requested to send in their answer by Friday of this week so that the committee will be able to plan on the extent of the parade and the number of floats required. A meeting later will decide on the different floats to be used.

Mrs. S. MacIure, for the musical committee, reported that five or six bands would be needed to dispense the musical programme outlined, and that a very strong committee on music is now perfecting the arrangements for the evening concert on coronation day.

Among the plans is one to mass all the church choirs of the city on parliament square and with the band of the Fifth Regiment accompanying, to render some of the music being rendered at the coronation in London.

The Arion club is to have a part in the proceedings. The voices will be heard from the water, the club members having taken up a station on an anchored barge in the inner harbor. The committee agreed to adopt Mrs. MacIure's report and appropriated the necessary funds for the same. A general meeting of all committees is to be held soon, and all will be asked to have their reports ready.

The King's Daughters are holding a meeting this afternoon in the Pemberton block to outline the part that organization will take in the festivities. With a similar object in view, the Women's Canadian Club is meeting in room 215 of the Pemberton block this afternoon.

**PASSING SHOW**

Bijou Theatre: Commencing to-day J. Chas. Bates and his company of comedians will present another very funny farce comedy in two acts, "A Wife Wanted." This is one of the best farces ever written and has always been a success wherever produced. The plot is extremely funny and shows how Dan Gillespie, a young man who has been left a fortune by his aunt, obtains possession of the money in spite of a condition in the will with which he does not comply.

He writes to the trustee, Deacon Smith, telling him he is married, and the deacon decides to visit the young man and see his wife before turning over the property. It is this visit that causes the many complications to arise. Mr. Bates will be seen as Jenkins Johnson, the stupid but good-hearted servant of the young man, who manages to make matters worse by trying to help his master out of the difficulty. Chas. E. Dale will play the part of Dan Gillespie. The part of Sally, who pretends to be Dan's wife, will be played by Miss Helen Kerwood, and Miss Canada Cortlett will be seen as Miss Pamsan, an old maid who is looking for a husband.

New Grand Theatre: Lohse and Stirling have so many dare-devil doings in their closing act at the Grand this week that a description of them would be impossible, but they are a pair of very wonderful performers who fear neither falls or accidents. All their doings are in mid-air and there is not a minute that is not sensational. Sadie Sherman continues the bright star of the bill, her mimicry being irresistible. The Barrows-Lancaster Company, playing in the military drama "Tactics," scored another hit last night, every movement of the clever plot being followed with intense interest. The whistling of Jack Goldie pleased the audience and he gave tenor vocal selections. J. Inglis and May Reading were responsible for a jumble Reading.

**FIGHT FOR COAL LANDS.**

Washington, D. C., May 11.—The fight over probably rich coal lands was transferred to-day to the Supreme court of the United States, when the government docketed an appeal from the order of the Federal court quashing the so-called "Stracey group" indictments.

The gross rental of London's buildings is 45 million pounds sterling, while that of all the agricultural land in England and Wales is under 27 millions.

**THREE MONTHS FOR  
UTTERING A CHEQUE**

Variety of Offences Dealt With by Magistrate Jay in Police Court

D. Crittenden, the young man who was on remand from yesterday on a charge of having uttered a forged cheque, made a long statement to the police magistrate this morning and requested to be allowed to go back to the United States, from which country he came here. He gave his home as Kansas City, and said he was well connected and had never before been in any trouble. Since coming to Victoria he had been an advertising solicitor and was endeavoring to straighten out the bad cheque when arrested. Owing to drinking and missing appointments he had been unable to do so. He was sentenced to three months' imprisonment.

C. E. Bettinson, who owns an automobile with license number 1316, paid a fine of \$50 for speeding on the Gorge road, but informed the court through his solicitor, H. H. Shandley, that he was not in charge of the car at the time.

John Nelson and Dugino Savino, the former with a pair of black eyes plauded guilty to fighting on Wharf street, and were given an opportunity to pay fines of \$10 each. Failing payment they will spend ten days in jail.

R. Pinkerton and E. Hancock were fined \$5 each for riding bicycles on the sidewalk.

Hessey Karl, on remand charged with leaving his horses untied on Government street, was allowed to go. The case arose out of the accident to Mrs. John Givens last week, when she fell to the roadway in attempting to board a street car. The magistrate said that while the accused had left his truck he had evidently done so to render assistance to the injured woman.

William S. Skinner plauded not guilty to an incompleteness offence, and a remand was granted the prosecution until to-morrow.

Warrants were issued for the arrest of Joseph Stephens, his wife, George Adams and Frances Wood, of Seattle, who yesterday were given one day to leave town.

**SENT FOR TRIAL ON A  
COW SHOOTING CHARGE**

Trouble Among Goldstream Farmers—Three Other Informations

Before Judge Lampman, in county court this morning, Edward Murphy, Goldstream, who was committed yesterday afternoon from the provincial police court on a charge of shooting a cow, elected a speedy trial before the county court judge, and the date for trial was fixed at Friday, May 26. Bail was allowed in two sureties of \$1,000, which were immediately forthcoming. The information against the accused was laid by Evan Burnett, a farmer of Goldstream, and the preliminary hearing was held in the police court yesterday afternoon. J. A. Aikman appearing for the accused.

Witnesses were heard who gave evidence in support of the charge, and the magistrate considered the facts sufficient for sending the case to the higher court.

Three other informations are sworn out against the same man, charging him with having on various occasions killed three other cows in the Goldstream district, the property of other farmers there.

**SPLENDID ENTERTAINMENT.**

Orchestra of Metropolitan Church Gives High Grade Concert.

One of the finest orchestral concerts held in this city was that given Tuesday evening in the schoolroom of the Metropolitan Methodist church, when the orchestra of the Sunday school, repeated to be the finest organization in Canada, had a complete success. The splendid manner in which the players, under the direction of their capable leader, Jesse Longfield, rendered the selections proved conclusively to all present that this company of young men fully deserves all the praise which has been showered on them.

Every selection on the well-arranged programme was applauded by the large audience which thronged the schoolroom. The pieces played by the orchestra were: "Under Britain's Flag," "Caravan," "The Cecilian," and "The British Empire." A violin solo by T. Angus showed that the young player was a master of his instrument, and the same can be said of A. Staples, who rendered a "cello" solo.

Too much cannot be said of the vocalists who so ably assisted the orchestra.

Everyone of them received hearty ovations and their selections were all appreciated. Those who sang were: Miss Beck, Mrs. Jesse Longfield, Mrs. W. E. Stanland, William Melville and F. Waddington.

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Rossland Board of Trade Sends Resolution to Conciliation Board

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"Whereas, this board being composed of members who are vitally interested in the mining and smelting industries urges upon the chairman of the conciliation board now in session to investigate the effect that any increase on coke or coal will have on the mining and smelting industries of this section, and

"Whereas, the smelters of this section have been expending large amounts of money on betterments in order that the lower grade ores may be treated at a profit, and should the present wage scale go into effect as asked by District No. 18 of the United Mine Workers of America, which is an advance of 5.5 per cent. on the contract work and 15% per cent. on company day men, it means that this would increase the price of coke from 30¢ to 40¢ per ton. In the case of the Rossland ores an increase of 30 cents a ton on coke will make an increase of six cents a ton on ore treated. In the case of the ores of the Boundary an increase of 30 cents a ton on coke will mean an increase of five cents a ton of ore treated. In view of the fact that the smelters operating in the southern portion of British Columbia at the present time on account of the low prices of metals, are practically making only an even break, and when taking this into consideration there is very little encouragement from their standpoint in going after the lower grade ores, of which there is a large tonnage in the Rossland camp, and if this tonnage can be increased, it means giving employment to additional men, whereas if the cost of treatment is increased it is certain to interfere with the tonnage now being extracted, and in turn will be the cause of laying off a large number of men in this district; and

"Whereas we are credibly informed that the real cause of discontent between the mine operators of District No. 18 is not so much a question of wages as steady time, and we are of the opinion that if arrangements were made with the transportation companies so that an ample supply of cars be given to the different coal companies each and every day, that the miners employed in the coal mines throughout the Crow's Nest district would be making in excess of what the metal miners are making in this district.

"Therefore be it resolved that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the chairman of the conciliation board now in session and request that he familiarize himself with the above facts before deciding as to whether or not the miners of the Crow's Nest section are entitled to an increase on the present contract rates now in effect."

There was some discussion following the reading of the resolution, the gist of which was that owing to a shortage of empty cars the men did not work much more than half time. Given a regular supply of cars, even if there was a cut in the wages, they would make more money, and thus it was hoped that the chairman, Dr. C. W. Gordon, would bring the matter before the railway commission at Ottawa.

The resolution was carried without a dissenting voice.

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The lowest or any tender for all or any portion of the work not necessarily accepted.

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Coming within an ace of breaking her trans-Pacific record; the R. M. S. Monteagle, Capt. Davidson, reached the William Head quarantine station at 2 o'clock this morning, and after obtaining her pratique proceeded to the outer wharf to discharge her cargo. The vessel arrived here one day ahead of her schedule, being at sea only thirteen days, which is excellent time for a steamship of her class.

If the liner had not experienced heavy weather for two days she would have succeeded besting her time for the trip by several hours. Although the Monteagle left Yokohama several hours ahead of the Blue Funnel liner Teucer, which is due here to-morrow, she has gained much time on her rival. The Monteagle and one of the Holt vessels always sail from the Japanese port the same day and there is keen rivalry between them as to which will arrive here first. Last trip the C. P. R. steamship was beaten by the Teucer, though but this passage she has the honor of being victorious over the Teucer.

When four days out from Yokohama the Monteagle plumped into a heavy southeast gale, which lasted for two days. As the wind was head on, the steamship was not able to make a good daily average as she did previous to that time. When the gale cleared off, however, the Monteagle was not bothered with any heavy weather throughout the remainder of the voyage and what winds blew were all favorable. When about ten hours from Cape Flattery the Monteagle passed the Sado Maru, which arrived in port this morning and which left Yokohama two days ahead of her, and reached quarantine about three hours ahead of the Japanese boat.

The liner brought across from the Orient as freight 3,500 tons, including rice, sugar, porcelain, matting and curios. She landed 150 tons of cargo here and left for Vancouver at 9 o'clock. Stowed away in her strong room was silk amounting to nearly three-quarters of a million dollars.

Among the passengers who came across on the liner were: Rev. John Bell, a missionary from the interior of China; Lieut. H. Bradley, an army officer from Hongkong, and Morris Klein, from Manila. Owing to the plague in China the people are fleeing from that country and many of them are coming this way. Other saloon passengers on the Monteagle were: E. Alchin, Mrs. V. G. Allen, Miss A. E. Allen, G. Anderson, R. Angus, Miss C. Bertholomew, Rev. John Bell, Mrs. Bell and three children, Rev. A. Bonsey, Miss Olive Bonsey, Miss E. M. Bonsey, Lieut. H. Bradley, G. H. Brooke, Miss E. Burdis, F. D. Burrows, Miss A. W. Burton, G. Byth, Mrs. G. R. Clarke, Dr. F. B. Couland, S. W. Cushing, G. Davison, Miss H. De Gruchy, J. F. Dodman, A. Du Bond, S. H. Dutton, G. H. Gillingsham, Miss E. Harrison, H. Hayward, Rev. F. R. Hilliard, Miss H. Hoover, E. L. Hughes, Capt. R. A. Johnston, W. J. Justons, Mrs. C. Kew and infant, Miss M. Kew, E. M. Kirkwood, Morris Klein, Rev. L. Landis, E. P. H. Landis, Miss L. Langman, E. MacFarlane, Mrs. MacFarlane, Miss E. MacKeddie, Miss J. McGeachie, Miss G. McInnes, Mrs. I. McInnes, Capt. S. McInnes, S. H. McKean, Mrs. McKean, J. B. McMillan, R. McNeilage, Miss L. Oehme, D. H. Owings, R. Paterson, H. W. Peeler, Miss Edna Pickering, W. H. Purcell, Mrs. R. L. Rickotts and child, W. W. Rice, Mrs. Ririe and child, Miss M. Ririe, T. Robinson, Mrs. Robinson, Miss F. W. Squire, P. D. Sutherland, A. H. Taylor, Miss A. J. Wade, F. G. Walker, H. Walter, Mrs. Walter, Miss H. Walter, Master R. F. Walker, Mrs. T. Wilkinson, W. G. Williamson, Mrs. Wilson, G. G. Wood, Miss C. Woodruff. There were also 31 second class passengers and 21st class.

## FREIGHT RATE INQUIRY.

Washington, D. C., May 11.—A comprehensive investigation of alleged unreasonable freight rates on wool, hides and pelts from western points or origin to eastern destinations, was ordered today by the Interstate commerce commission. The inquiry will affect wool, hides and pelts rates throughout the country.

## ARRIVES WITH FULL LIST OF PASSENGERS

Sado Maru Has Uneventful  
Trip From Yokohama—  
Brings Small Cargo

Nothing exciting in any shape or form occurred during the passage from Yokohama to Victoria of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner, Sado Maru, Capt. Richards, which docked at the outer wharf this morning. Her master reports having had a splendid voyage, encountering rough weather only for two days, shortly after leaving the Japanese coast. A strong gale from the southeast was encountered by the steamship, but she rode through it without shipping a drop of water.

All the accommodation on the Maru was taken up by the large number of passengers that she carried. Those who disembarked here included: Capt. H. Trawbridge, from Shanghai, a master on one of the Oriental boats; C. E. Oxley, Vladivostok, who is here on a visit; E. H. Solty, who has been traveling in China, and H. Murata, a Japanese.

There was also 57 Japanese for Victoria. Amongst the saloon passengers bound for Seattle were: A. Kenneth and Mrs. M. Keneth, from Scotland, who are on a tour of the world, having come via the Suez canal and Orient; Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, of Manila, who are on their way to the States to visit friends; W. R. Bagnall, a prominent resident of Yokohama; A. Slingby, a clothing merchant in China, and Miss L. Shirley from Japan.

The big steamship had a valuable shipment of silk aboard, which totalled over a half a million dollars. This will be rushed to New York on the Great Northern special train immediately on the arrival of the Maru at Seattle. The cargo discharged here consisted of the following: 550 bags of sugar, 350 tubs of soy, 440 bags of rice, 360 tubs of miso, 250 sacks of potatoes, 220 tubs of salted vegetable, 81 casks of sake, 60 packages of bamboo, 5 cases of tea and 219 packages of merchandise.

## SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

May 10.

Seattle—Arrived: Steamers Governor, Tacoma; schooner W. G. Garm, San Diego; U. S. cableship Burnside, Sound ports; steamers E. L. Drake, San Francisco; steamer Prince George, Prince Rupert; steamer General Fairchild, Eagle Harbor. Sailed: steamer Governor, Sound ports; steamer Prince George, Portland Canal; steamer Corwin, Nome.

Liverpool—Arrived: Teutonic, New York; Francia, Boston.

San Francisco—Arrived: Steamers Carlos Willa, Rose City, Portland; Coaster, Gray's Harbor; barkentine Arago, Soos Bay. Sailed: Steamers China, Hongkong; Azov, Telara Bay; Wilhelmmina, Honolulu; Asuncion, Vancouver; Watson, Seattle; Redondo, Cook Bay.

New York, May 9.—Sailed: Lustitia, Liverpool; Cretic, Naples, etc.; Laura, Naples; Majestic, Southampton.

Hongkong—Arrived: Persia, San Francisco.

Tenerife, May 9.—Sailed: Ozirius, German, Tacoma.

Naples, May 7.—Sailed: Louisiana, New York.

Southampton—Sailed: Kaiser Wilhelm der Gross, New York.

Port Said, May 9.—Arrived: Proterus, Liverpool, for Seattle.

Yokohama—Arrived: (previously) Korea, San Francisco; Kamakura Maru, Seattle; Panama Maru, Tacoma.

Fishguard—Arrived: Franciona, Boston.

Queensland—Arrived: Teutonic, New York. Sailed: Carmania, New Zealand; Boston.

Southampton—Sailed: Oceanic, New York.

One of the slowest passages of the season from San Pedro was made by the schooner Carolina, Captain Johnson, which has arrived on Puget Sound for a cargo of lumber. The Caroline left San Pedro seven days ahead of the schooner Salem, but the Salem arrived at Seattle two weeks ago. The Caroline met with heavy weather and head winds, which were largely responsible for her slow passage, but the fact that she is constructed with shallow draft for river navigation makes her slower than other schooners of her size. The Caroline is flat-bottom, and when loaded to capacity only draws twelve feet of water, while other vessels of her size draw from twenty to twenty-three feet.

## ABSID QUARANTINE RULE IS ENFORCED

None Can Approach Within  
100 Feet of Vessel Which  
Has Not Pratique

Port Townsend, May 11.—Because an arbitrary rule enforced here since Dr. Bayliss Earle took charge of Puget Sound quarantine service a few months ago, was violated, the schooner S. T. Alexander, which arrived Tuesday evening from Salina Cruz, Mexico, is still flying the yellow flag. The rule is that no person whomsoever other than quarantining officials shall approach within one hundred feet of any vessel from foreign ports until pratique is granted.

After arrival a launch ran by fifty feet from the Alexander, heaved a package of letters aboard and took verbal orders from Captain Nels Johnson for badly needed supplies. Hence pratique was refused.

The rule is bitterly opposed by shipping men here, who hold it foolish and not authorized by regulations. Dr. Earle himself admits that it is a regulation of his own manufacture. Until he came here owners, agents and consuls, pilots and immigration and customs officials had always been permitted to board vessels from foreign ports before pratique at their own risk.

The Alexander, owing to an extremely foul bottom and light winds, made an exceedingly slow passage of 72 days and was virtually without provisions when she arrived. This led to the launch being sent to her. The case is made ridiculous when it is pointed out that the Peruvian bark Algoa Bay was anchored within a stone's throw from the Alexander and the tugs and small craft were passing equally near.

The Algoa Bay also got into trouble with the quarantine service when she arrived, fifty days from Callao, the same evening. A technical error was found in her bill of health and, although there was no disease on board, she was sent to the Diamond Point quarantining station at Discovery Bay for fumigation. The bark is a Grace charter and came into the Sound unreported from her port. While the bark was in the straits she was the scene of a near-mutiny owing to the objection of the sailors to alleged overwork, and several members of the crew are nursing black eyes and broken heads.

The George took out a large crowd of passengers to the north when she sailed, many of them joining the vessel here, while a good number were ticketed from Seattle. While in port she took on much freight, including some for the river steamers.

The steamer Henriette will sail for northern British Columbia ports within a few days, making her second trip in the new service. Much freight is awaiting shipment here on her for the north and she will carry a full load when she leaves.

## WIRELESS REPORTS

May 11, 8 a.m.

Point Grey, cloudy, calm, thick sea-ward, 30.03, 59 sea smooth.

Cape Lazo, overcast, calm, wind N.W., 30.00, 45, sea smooth.

Pachepa, cloudy, calm, 29.75, 50, sea smooth.

Estevan, cloudy, calm, 29.63, 48, sea smooth. Spoke Ties at 7.50 a.m. at Clayquot.

Triangled, passing showers, wind S.W., 19 miles, 29.23, 37, light swell. Spoke State of California in Queen Charlotte Sound at 11 p.m. northbound, and Chicago at 8 p.m. position unobtainable.

Ikeda, raining, wind S.E., strong gale, 29.55, 44, sea rough. Whaling steamer William Grant southbound at 7 a.m.

Prince Rupert, cloudy, with north light, 29.85, 45, sea smooth in Prince Rupert at 7.30 p.m.

Dead Tree Point, raining, overcast, wind S.E., sea smooth. Lillooet at Skidegate.

## SETTLE RATE WAR.

Federal Authorities Clear Up Difficulty  
Between Steamship Companies.

San Francisco, Cal., May 11.—A settlement of the Panama rate trouble existing from the cut made by the Pacific Mail and American-Hawaiian steamship companies, against the California and Atlantic line, operated by the firm of Bates & Cheesborough, has been effected by the federal authorities. Duplicate rates of letters have been received from Washington by the rival companies. The letter says:

"On and after June 1, 1911, on all traffic moving between ports upon the Pacific Coast of the United States, upon which not less than the fixed classified tariffs are charged the division of rates between the Panama Railroad Company and its steamship connections will be 40 per cent. to the Panama Railroad Company for the joint rail and steamship service, and 60 per cent. to the connection."

Sixteen men have also gone north to wait for the steamer Evelyn and a horse, which are now at Lake LaBarge waiting for the opening of navigation. Captain Wm. Blair, who will be in command of the Evelyn during the summer, is now at St. Michael, where he has had charge of the fleet during the winter months.

The vessels include the John Cudahy, Will H. Isom, John C. Barr, Charles H. Hamilton, T. C. Power, M. J. Heney, and Portas R. Weare. They are being overhauled and will take advantage of the first opportunity to get up the Yukon from the Behring Sea end.

The steamship State of California sailed last night for Alaska with a passenger list of about 100 and a full cargo of freight.

Rents collected, R. V. Winch & Co. Limited.

## NEW STATION STARTS

### PREPARING MAMMALS

Whalers at Naden Harbor  
Commerce Work—All  
Vessels Have Assignments

With the four whaling stations in operation and nine of the whalers on the trail of the mammals, it is expected that very shortly the catches of the Canadian Northern Pacific Fisheries Company will rapidly commence to mount into large figures. Owing to the heavy weather, since the beginning of the season off the west coast of Vancouver Island and in northern waters, the vessels have been unable to harpoon many of the biggest of the big game. Very soon the weather is bound to become more settled and better seasons will then be received from the stations.

Word has just reached here that the new station erected at Naden Harbor is in operation, having recently started in the work of preparing the slain animals for shipment to various parts of the world. Several of the whaling steamers have been sent to the north to patrol the seas there for whales, and they are said to be having fairly good luck. With the heavy weather, however, still prevalent in the north the steamers are unable to get within a decent range of the spouts.

The Sebastian, which has been sent to charter to the Dominion government during the past winter in attempting to prevent poaching of the whale coast, has left port for Rose Harbor. Eight other whalers are attending to the wants of the four stations, which very shortly will be running night and day shifts in order to keep pace with the amount of work given them by the steamers.

This will be a busy season for the steamer Petrel, which will bring most of the products from the stations to this port. She was purchased several months ago from the Northern Steamship Company, and is the most suitable craft for the work for which she was secured.

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Charters Being Made Considerably In Advance.

San Francisco, Cal., May 11.—The schooner Balboa, now at Molendo, has been chartered by Balfour, Guthrie & Co. to load lumber on Grays Harbor for Canada at 43 shillings 9 pence.

Owing to the scarcity of tonnage on the coast, charters are now being made considerably in advance of loading time, and a sharp rise in rates for off-shore business is expected. Steam tonnage especially is scarce. There is a brisk demand and time charter rates have advanced about 3 pence per ton; that is, owners are now getting about 3 shillings 3 pence per ton for tramp steamer tonnage, as compared with 3 shillings 8 pence a few weeks ago.

The schooner Wm. Renton, owned by Morris Marcus, has been turned over to Capt. J. C. Eschen, of Eschen & Minor, for debt. The Renton was built in 1882, and in the early days was commanded by Capt. Eschen in trading voyages between this coast and Australia.

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Work of overhauling the freighter Tamico in preparation for the summer run between Seattle and Nome, has begun on the Sound. During the past winter the Tamico has been on the run to Southeastern Alaska, but she was recently released by the steam freighter Meteor, after that vessel had received alterations and remains amounting to \$15,000. The Tamico will leave Seattle for Nome on June 1. The freighter Meteor, which has been laid up for the winter, is also overhauling in order to put her in condition for operating on the San Francisco-Nome run during the coming season. The Meteor will leave Seattle on May 15 for San Francisco and, after taking on her Nome freight there, will sail direct for Nome on June 1.

With the establishment of a new shipping line by the E. J. Dodge company, with the two fine steamships, Northland and St. Helena, and preparations made by other companies, the opening of navigation this year to Nome is expected to start the busiest season known since the gold discoverer in 1897 attracted a steady stream of gold-seekers on their way to the Far North. The Dodge steamship St. Helena, now at San Francisco, is being overhauled and having a powerful wireless system installed in preparation for her journey to St. Michael, Nome, Keewalk, Deering, Kotzebue and Cape Dezhnev, in the Arctic, and will be in Seattle about May 24. The St. Helena will leave Seattle for Behring sea June 1, and later will be followed by the steamship Northland of the same line. The St. Helena will take freight only to the Far North, but the Northland, in addition to a heavy cargo, also carry passengers.

A German naval officer has invented a new kind of Greek fire which may be poured on water to stop hostile vessels or even for attack when movements of the water will carry it toward an enemy.

During the period of navigation, when the Yukon is closed on the Yukon River, this company's stages operate between White Horse and Dawson, carrying freight and passengers.

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REV. A. E. ROBERTS  
NEW PRESIDENT

ELECTED AT B. C.  
METHODIST CONFERENCE

Rev. Dr. Chown Deals With  
Ne Temere Decree—Sug-  
gests Formal Protest

Vancouver, May 11.—Rev. Dr. W. Chown dealt with the ne temere decree at the opening of the Methodist conference this morning.

"We cannot, as Canadians," said Dr. Chown, "allow interference of a foreign power with the civil and religious liberties of our country. We cannot, in this free country, permit the decree which declares marriage sanctioned by our civil law to be illegal. I suggest

The needs of the Chinese Christian missions in Victoria were brought to the attention of the Woman's Auxiliary for the diocese of Columbia, at the afternoon session of the annual meeting yesterday, by James Lan Chung, the Chinese catechist here, who appealed to the members of the Auxiliary for aid in teaching the men who come to the classes. The scarcity of teachers, he said, was hindering the work of imparting the truths of Christianity to his fellow-countrymen.

Rev. W. Barton warmly supported Mr. Chung's appeal.

The report of the treasurer, Mrs. Wollaston, showed that during the present year the women of the diocese had raised for missionary purposes \$1,587.78, and had expended \$1,306.87.

The Dorcas secretary, Mrs. Hiscock, reported that the different branches of her society had helped the Columbia coast missions, the Hay river missions and Mr. Edwards' mission in Saskatchewan to the amount of \$750.25. These gifts represented loving labor, as well as money, on the part of women and girls.

Miss Moore told of the work accomplished by the Junior branches, and spoke with regret of the resignation of Miss Mary Saunders, whose health had compelled her to give up her work.

Miss Turner, corresponding secretary, spoke especially of the increase in the thank offerings.

Mrs. Dickson, for Mrs. Toller, read the report of the literature secretary. She expressed her great sorrow for the illness which had obliged Mrs. Toller to give up her work, and deep sense of the service she had rendered the members in spreading among them an interest in missionary literature. The library had grown until now there were 188 volumes, many of which were suitable for children's reading. The monthly study class at Bishopsclose had been found very helpful. Prizes for study were given to St. John's and the Cathedral girls' branches. The formation of a literary class in every branch senior and junior, was recommended.

The recording secretary, Mrs. Elmhurst, gave a resume of the work of the year. Among other facts were the formation of new branches—St. Peter's and St. Andrew's at Cowichan, and St. Phillips at Cedar—and the honoring with life membership of Mrs. Averill, St. Michael's; Mrs. P. T. Johnston and Mrs. Litchfield, Cathedral; Miss Woods, St. John's; and Mrs. Cooper by the diocese.

Mrs. Dupont read a report of organizing work done by Mrs. Toller.

Mrs. Norrish, Miss Wootton and Miss Nixon described the progress respectively of the girls' branches of St. John's, the Cathedral and St. Saviour's parishes.

Mrs. Dorrall, New Westminster, gave a very interesting description of work among the Japanese women and children in Vancouver. Several children had been baptized, and much interest shown in the work of the mission by older people. There was a daily attendance of 22 children in the day school and 20 received instruction on Sunday. Sewing was taught the girls and women, of whom there are 300 in Vancouver.

CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY.

Metropolitan Methodist Church Anniversary Next Sunday.

The fifty-second anniversary of the Metropolitan Methodist Church Sunday school will be held next Sunday. As the second Sunday in May is also observed as Mother's day throughout Canada and the United States, the services will be of double interest.

Rev. S. T. Bartlett, of Toronto, will be the special preacher for the day. The teachers and scholars will occupy the centre seats at the morning service. In the afternoon service an open session will be held. In addition to special addresses to be given, the Sunday school orchestra will render special selections.

At seven o'clock in the evening a recital will be given upon the fine organ by Edward Parsons. The evening service will be of unique interest. Mr. Bartlett will give an address in harmony with the idea of Mother's day. All who attend are requested to wear the emblem which has been chosen for Mother's day, a white carnation. If not that, then some other white flower.

In addition to the special music furnished by the choir, Ruthven McDonald, baritone, and Miss Bertha Crawford, soprano soloist of the Metropolitan Methodist church, Toronto, will sing.

Egypt has a desert railway, which runs 45 miles in a straight line; but the longest straight piece of railway line in the world is from Nyngan to Bourke, in New South Wales. This railway runs 128 miles in a dead straight line.

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Admission 10c; Children to Matinees 5c

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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Michael Manson, M.P.P. for Comox, is visiting the capital.

A. Carmichael has returned from a business trip to Alberni.

Mrs. D. B. McConan, 554 Rithet street, will not receive to-day.

Mrs. F. C. Winkler will not receive to-day, nor again until further notice.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McKeown, Philadelphia, Pa., are visiting in this city.

Mrs. S. A. Baird, 1337 Pandora avenue, will not receive until the second Friday in June.

Dr. Lewis Hall is recovering from his illness, and will be about again by the end of the week.

Mrs. John Hoy, 62 Linden avenue, will receive this afternoon, but not again until further notice.

F. C. Gamble, chief engineer of the department of railways, is on a month's vacation in eastern Canada.

Miss Queenie Bourke has returned from the mainland to continue her studies at St. Ann's academy.

Hon. Walter Scott, premier of Saskatchewan, has returned home after a six weeks' holiday on the coast.

Curtis Watson, Belmont avenue, leaves to-day for the Baileys Valley, where he will remain for the summer.

Mrs. Kennington, Duncan, who came down to attend the Alexandra Club ball, is the guest of Mrs. H. H. Nash, Battersby street.

The Rev. and Mrs. Redman of Duncan, cross by the Princess Victoria today in order to attend the Methodist conference at Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Leaver, Seattle, who have been visiting at Oak Bay for the past few weeks, returned home yesterday.

H. C. Brewster, M.P.P., has been up to his cannery at Clayquot making preliminary preparations for the sea-son's work.

Col. Sam Hughes, M. P., father of G. B. Hughes, divisional engineer of the Canadian Northern here, is visiting the East Kootenay District.

James Hunter, who has been acting warden at the provincial jail in Nanaimo since the reopening of that institution, has returned to Victoria to resume his duties here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Campbell, Winnipeg, who have been the guests of A. W. Elliott for the past ten days, on their way home from California, leave to-day for Vancouver.

John B. Channing, Spokane, and his brother, W. S. Channing of Wallasey, Cheshire, left by yesterday afternoon bound for Vancouver after a pleasant ten days visit to the city.

Rev. Allan Willkie, Nakusp, who has been attending Synod last week in Vancouver, came over to Victoria and spent a few days very pleasantly at the manse, Victoria West, the guest of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. MacRae. He left yesterday for Seattle en route to his home in the Kootenay, quite charmed with Victoria and its surroundings.

Dr. A. E. Ciendeman, Edmonton, is in the city in the course of a medical inspection of railway construction camps and hospitals on Vancouver Island. From here he will go north to inspect the camps along the Grand Trunk Pacific. Dr. Ciendeman is an officer of the Dominion department of quarantine and public health, and this trip is the regular course of close supervision the Dominion government maintains.

Mrs. Paterson held a reception at Government House last night in honor of the Local Council of Women, which had been in annual convention. Besides the delegates from the various Local Councils of Women and their affiliated societies, a large number of friends were invited. A delightful programme of music, arranged by Mrs. McClure, was given in the reception chamber by members of the Ladies' Musical Club and others, which was greatly enjoyed.

Hon. H. E. Young, acting premier, was host at a dinner given in the Empress hotel last night to the officers of the Deutscher Verein and other friends in recognition of the many happy hours which he has spent, as guest of the local German club. Those present were Hon. Price Ellison, minister of finance; H. B. Thomson, M.P.P.; C. Lowenberg, German consul, honorary president of the German club; F. W. Kostenbader, president; F. Helm, secretary; E. C. Kaufman, treasurer; H. Slobenbaum, C. Wenger and W. Peters, trustees; E. B. McKay, E. O. S. Schofield, provincial librarian; George A. Fraser and Hon. Abraham Smith, U. S. consul.

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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Michael Manson, M.P.P. for Comox, is visiting the capital.

A. Carmichael has returned from a business trip to Alberni.

Mrs. D. B. McConan, 554 Rithet street, will not receive to-day.

Mrs. F. C. Winkler will not receive to-day, nor again until further notice.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McKeown, Philadelphia, Pa., are visiting in this city.

Mrs. S. A. Baird, 1337 Pandora avenue, will not receive until the second Friday in June.

Dr. Lewis Hall is recovering from his illness, and will be about again by the end of the week.

Mrs. John Hoy, 62 Linden avenue, will receive this afternoon, but not again until further notice.

F. C. Gamble, chief engineer of the department of railways, is on a month's vacation in eastern Canada.

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## The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron

Every Saturday afternoon this spring there has passed by my study window a very pretty couple quite the prettiest that ever passes down the street, to my way of thinking. One of these two is a big six-footer of a man, and the other is a little tow-headed youngster who reaches just about to the six-footer's knees.

They are Dad and Junior, and Saturday being Dad's day off, they are going to take a walk in the woods and fields to watch for the birds and the coming of the spring flowers. And there's nothing in all his week, Junior's mother says, that Junior looks forward to so much as this walk with his father—no, even his plate of ice cream at Sunday dinner or the box of candy he is apt to find in Dad's pocket of a Sunday night.

Mother and Father—if there is one pleasure in life that you simply can't afford to miss, it's this—the joy of making your little sons and daughters acquainted with the wonders of the great realms of woods and fields, teaching them the love of birds and flowers and trees, training them to make the most of this healthiest, most desirable interest a girl or boy can have.

This little boy of whom I write had a big book of pictures given him for Christmas. There are over a hundred plates in the book, and yet he can name most of them readily and recognize many in the woods and fields.

Think of the pleasure and profit he is going to get out of this knowledge. Some day when other boys have nothing better to do than loaf on street corners or attend cheap shows this boy will find more pleasure in tramping through the woods, watching for his feathered friends, imitating their calls and hunting for the rare wild flower blooms, when

Just now, especially, when the outdoor world is a land of fascinating surprises and developments, when the birds are nesting and each week a new wild flower bloom, when

Whether we look or whether we listen,

We hear life murmur or see it glisten;

When every cloe feels a stir of might,

An instinct within that reaches and

towers,

Groping blindly above it for light,

Climbs to a soul in grass and flow-

ers,

When the cowship startles in meadows green,

The buttercup catches the sun in

her chalice,

And there's never a leaf or a blade too mean

To be some happy creature's pal-

ace!"

Surely this is the time when you ought to take your children out into the woods and fields with you and teach them some of the secret pass words, some of the signs and wonders of this awakening of the world.

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### GERMAN AERONAUTS FORCING THE PACE

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Germany intends to lead the world in the construction of huge lighter-than-air vessels, to inaugurate aerial navigation on an unprecedented scale, and according to information furnished by the aeronautical expert, Captain Hildebrandt, two companies are in process of formation for this purpose.

One of these, with a capital of £2,000,000, has decided to adopt the plans of a German engineer, Herr Boerner, for the construction of a monster airship with a capacity of 120,000 cubic metres, so that the new vessel will be eight times larger than Count Zeppelin's latest creation. Herr Boerner's airship will be built on the rigid system, and the balloon will be divided into thirty-eight airtight compartments, to increase its buoyancy and to ensure safety in case of accident. The extreme length will be 775 feet, and the breadth 130 feet, and the vessel will be driven by thirty motors, each developing 10 horse-power.

The airship, with the aid of the gas balloon, will be assisted by a number of horizontal screws, and other propellers will be provided for driving the vessel in midair. There will be six officers and ninety-four men, of whom eighty-four will be engineers to tend the motors. Apart from the officers and crew, numbering together 100, the airship will be capable of carrying 200 passengers, and elaborate arrangements have been made for their comfort, including the provision of cabins with sofas, which during the night can be transformed into berths, and a dining-saloon of substantial size. A promenade deck will run round these cabins with an approximate length of 1,200 feet. Every man of the crew and each passenger will be provided with a parachute, to be used in case of disaster.

The vessel will also carry a portable motor-boat, packed in sections, which can be put together in case of need. It is also intended to publish on board a small newspaper, to be filled with news obtained by means of the wireless telegraphy apparatus with which the vessel will be equipped. The cost of each vessel is estimated at £120,000, and eight airships are to be constructed at this price at the outset. It is estimated that the equipment of the cabins and of the dining saloon will involve an expenditure of £6,000 and the installation of electric light an expenditure of £1,200.

Two of the new airships, according to the plan of the organizer of the company, will be employed for passenger traffic between New York and London. Owing to the greater quantity of luggage carried on such voyages, the vessels will limit their number of passengers to 150, and the fare will be £40 per person. Her Boerner states that in view of the large number of powerful motors which his vessels will carry, the transit from New York to London will be accomplished in three days, and at the expiration of each voyage he allows two days' rest for the officers and crew and for any necessary repairs, so that each airship will be able to make six trans-Atlantic trips per month.

Other airships are to be employed on round trips, starting from London and going, by way of Paris, Vienna, and Berlin, back again to Paris and London for a fare of £18. Is this a purely fantastic project destined to excite ridicule, or will its realization mark the inauguration of a new era of aerial navigation? Expert opinion in Germany is far from unanimous on this point. Captain Hildebrandt considers that Herr Boerner's plans must be taken seriously, although he is not convinced that they are practicable, and is specially sceptical regarding the proposed trans-Atlantic service.

Two other German engineers, Herrn Wetzel and Schleibinger, of Stuttgart, are constructing another aerial monster, also of the rigid type, with a capacity of 100,000 cubic metres. This vessel is to be equipped with twenty motors which will develop an aggregate of 2,400 horse-power, whereby it is calculated that a speed of 45 miles to 50 miles an hour will be attained.

### ON ITS WAY TO THE TAPS.

Coils of Barbed Wire Found by Diver in Toronto Conduit.

Percy Legge, diver in the Toronto waterworks department, had a harrowing experience under water while working at the temporary intake. While feeling his way in the dark interior of the iron tube, he felt something clutching at him and catching him about the arms and legs. The sense of touch later enabled him to identify it as a coil of barbed wire which had got into the broken end of the pipe and had been carried shoreward by the current. He tried vainly to get clear of the wire, which threatened to tear his suit and break his air tube. He signalled for help, which was sent down from the tube above, and he was extricated from his dangerous situation.

Charles Margison, another diver, entered the pipe at the shore tank and walked along the bottom out under the lake for about 300 feet. Then he stumbled over something, which, upon investigation, turned out to be a fence pole. To it was attached staples and a few pieces of barbed wire evidently torn from the coil which the diver found early in the day.

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## SHOPS AND WORK ROOMS INSPECTION

### Police Must Enforce Act Regarding Health of Employees and Sanitation

The Shop's Regulation Act of 1900 and subsequent amendments, by which the comfort of employees and the regulation of working hours is controlled, is to be put into active commission by the local authorities. The activity is in response to a "jerking up" from a higher-up, who desired to know why the act was sleeping.

The act places a limit of employment on those under 16 years of age in stores, etc., at not more than 66½ hours per week, including meal times, nor more than 13 hours on Saturday, nor more than 11 hours on other days. In the event of an employee working overtime, an allowance must be made on another day. Lunch time is provided for by a one-hour interval at noon, and if employees are kept at night 45 minutes must be allowed for dinner.

The act makes it a duty on the part of the employer to provide a seat for each woman or girl employed on the premises, and also provides for the construction of proper sanitary requirements.

The act deals with bakeshops and candy-stores specially, and makes restrictions regarding lighting, heating, ventilation, sanitation and sleeping quarters. Working hours of employees are fixed at 60 hours per week, and not more than 12 hours on any one day, except with permission of the inspector. No work can be done on Sunday. Ill-health of the employee is mentioned, those suffering from a number of complaints, stated in the act, being prohibited from being employed. All employees must be over 14 years of age, and no bakeshop is allowed in underground premises.

The police have received instructions to enforce the act, as it is claimed that employers in some cases are taking advantage of its non-enforcement, working employees longer hours than provided, and in insanitary conditions.

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### WITNESSES CHILD'S DEATH

Farmer Unable to Release Little Girl Who is Run Over by Train.

San Luis Obispo, Cal., May 10.—Unable to free the foot of his grandchild, Hazel Fills, aged 7 years, from a surface cattle guard on the Southern Pacific tracks near here, Gilbert Fills, a farmer, was forced to witness her death under the wheels of an express train. Hearing the child's screams above the roar of the oncoming train, Fills rushed to her aid, but was unable to drag her from the track. The engine passed over her before the train could be stopped.

### DEPUTY SHERIFF SLAIN.

Bisbee, Ariz., May 10.—Deputy Sheriff Frank Trask was killed last night at Benson by an unidentified man, whom he was attempting to arrest. As he fell Trask drew his revolver and fatally wounded his assailant.

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## UNWRITTEN LAW BECOMES POPULAR

Porcupine Man Sentenced to Ten Days for Attempt to Kill His Wife

At the spring assizes at Sudbury, Ont., before Chief Justice Falconbridge, the first indictable case from Porcupine was heard, when John Paget was charged with the attempted murder of his wife in February last. The story unfolded started with the marriage of the couple eight years ago in London, Eng., where Paget drove a baker's wagon; of their emigrating to Canada five years ago, and Paget securing work as a farm laborer at Manotick, near Ottawa, their infant child dying while there, and of Mrs. Paget leaving the farm to reside in the village. It was not long before Mrs. Paget grew weary of the apparent monotony of village life and left for Ottawa, where she secured work as a waitress. From there she drifted into the north country. For a year and a half no correspondence passed between them, but was then resumed by the wife, and last Christmas she returned to live once more with Paget at Ignace, Ont., where he had secured employment as a machinist's helper. In less than a month the restless spirit again exhibited itself and Mrs. Paget left once more for the north country, and she had Paget follow in February. Apparently not until Paget reached Porcupine did the book of the past five years completely unfold itself. Comments on his wife's character were common in Porcupine. She was conducting a small restaurant and a blind pig, and when on February 11 last he discovered his wife, as he thought, embracing the bartender, William Reise, there was a row. The quarrel was refined later in their rooms and grew so loud that Reise went up to interfere. As he opened the door of the room he found Paget holding his wife with one hand and drawing a revolver from his hip with the other. The opening of the door distracted the attention of both for the moment and Mrs. Paget escaped, while Reise grappled with the accused. Two shots were fired in the direction of the fleeing woman, one of which went through the roof and the other ploughed the cheek and ear of Reise.

Mrs. Paget at the trial swore she did not know whether he had intended to kill her or kill himself.

R. McKeenock, in asking for acquittal, admitted the shooting and said the majority of the men in the north and also, he thought, on the jury, would have been harder with the gun and had a better aim and still would have thought their act amply justified under the circumstances.

The chief justice said the law could neither condone nor justify the act of Paget, but the verdict could be reduced to that of intent to do bodily harm or of common assault. A verdict was returned on the charge of common assault and the accused was sentenced to ten days in jail.

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## FUNERAL OF DR. ROBSON.

Hundreds Pay Tribute to Memory of Pioneer Minister.

Vancouver, May 11.—The funeral services over the remains of the late Rev. Dr. Ebenezer Robson, the pioneer minister of the Methodist church in British Columbia, who for half a century was one of the dominant figures of the church in this province, were held Tuesday in the Mount Pleasant Methodist church.

Hundreds of people of all creeds and nationalities, including representative men from all over the province, assembled at the church to pay a last tribute to the memory of the deceased.

The edifice was very simply decorated in accordance with the wishes of the deceased. The body had been moved there at 10 o'clock in the morning. In order that friends might have last opportunity of viewing the well-known features.

The opening hymn of the service was announced by Rev. J. F. Betts, pastor of Mountain View Methodist church. Prayer was then offered by Rev. J. H. White, D.D., superintendent of missions, and the scriptural lesson was read by Rev. Principal Sippell of Columbia College, New Westminster.

Tributes were paid to the memory of the deceased by Rev. S. D. Chown, of Winnipeg, superintendent of temperance in the Methodist church of Canada; Rev. R. Newton Powell, president of the Methodist conference of British Columbia, and Rev. W. Lasley Hall, pastor of the church. Prayer was offered by Rev. J. S. Henderson, recently elected moderator of the Presbyterian Synod of British Columbia.

The pallbearers were Rev. C. M. Tate, Rev. Ole Heggen, Rev. K. Kanazawa, Rev. Frank Dickman, Rev. Dr. Oster-

hort, Rev. Mr. Raley, Mr. Thomas Cunningham and Mr. A. C. Wells. The interment took place in the family plot in Mountain View cemetery. The words of committal were pronounced by Rev. Lasley Hall, after which Rev. R. Newton Powell led in prayer and pronounced the benediction.

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hout, Rev. Mr. Raley, Mr. Thomas Cunningham and Mr. A. C. Wells.

The interment took place in the fam-

ily plot in Mountain View cemetery.

The words of committal were pro-

nounced by Rev. Lasley Hall, after

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#### AVIATOR'S NARROW ESCAPE

Mineola, L. I., May 11.—"Lo" Sep with the English aviator who landed in this country only a few days ago, had a narrow escape from death to-day. His biplane monoplane, in which he was carrying Philip Wilcox, an aviator, was caught in a gust of wind at the "grave yard turn," whirled out of equilibrium and pitched on its beam ends from a height of fifty feet. Sep with his head was badly cut, but he was alive. Wilcox landed on his feet and was not even scratched. The machine was badly damaged.

The anniversary concert and dance to be held by the Daughters of Scotland in the A. G. U. W. hall to-night promises to be a great success, and a record attendance is assured.

The annual meeting of the Political Equality League will be held to-morrow night at 8 o'clock in the Balmoral hotel parlors. A cordial invitation is given to all to be present.

## SNOW AND RAIN IN PRAIRIE CAPITAL

City Without Electric Power—Rain Means Millions for Western Farmers

Winnipeg, May 11.—Following a most extraordinary snow and rain storm, things were greatly hampered in this city to-day. The street railway is out of commission and all electric power is off. The transformer transmitting power from the company's hydro-electric plant at Lac Du Bonnet was struck by lightning.

In spite of Winnipeg's discomfiture, the storm means many millions to the west in improved crop conditions. A huge volume of water fell last night. At 9 o'clock to-day the mercury stood at 35 and did not drop below 25 last night. No damage can result from the cold. At 5 o'clock the rain turned to snow, which lasted all morning.

#### LOVERS OF FLOWERS.

Annual of Horticultural Society—Good Work of J. A. Bland.

At the annual meeting of the Victoria Horticultural Society last night, at Sir William Wallace hall, several changes were made, among them the election of a new secretary in the place of J. A. Bland, who has served the society for more than seven years. When Mr. Bland first joined the society there was a deficit of about \$80. At present the reserve fund amounts to about \$400.

The flower show will be held as usual on the second Wednesday in August. It was decided in addition to hold a rose show at some date to be fixed by the directors. The election of officers resulted as follows:

Honorary president—His honor the lieutenant-governor.

President—W. F. Burton.

Vice-president—Mrs. Henry Croft.

Mr. Justice Martin, Mrs. F. S. Barnard, Mrs. B. W. Pearce, Wm. Ferrier, F. B. Pemberton, H. R. Beaven.

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#### CRICKET

##### UNION CLUB VS. RAINBOW.

Union Club batted first yesterday and with three wickets down had scored 112 runs. Runs came freely until the sixth wicket fell for 107, after which the side collapsed. The Navy Fielding was unusually good. The Rainbow team, with the exception of Lieutenant Morrell, who hit clean and hard, could make no head way against the bowling of Gillespie and Hincks. The latter took 3 wickets for 19 runs. The score:

Total	Rainbow—1st Innings
Sales, b Cuppage	5
Mundy, c and b Foulkes	1
Lieut. Moore, b Gillespie	1
Lieut. Morrell, c and b Hincks	6
Gretoreaux, b Hincks	6
Surg. Ludop, b Hincks	1
Jones, b Gillespie	1
Pap' Jenkins (capt.), c Beale, b Gillespie	1
G. B. Talbot, b Gretoreaux, b Jenkins	1
B. H. Drake, c and b Cornish	1
L. Cappage, b Cornish	1
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Union Club—1st Innings.

M. Cane, c Morrell, b Cornish

P. C. Tunnard, c Holt, b Moore

J. H. Gillespie, c Morrell, b Jenkins

Capt. Foulkes, c Holt, b Cornish

R. Stuart, b Cornish

R. W. Hincks, c Sales, b Cornish

G. B. Talbot, b Gretoreaux, b Jenkins

B. H. Drake, c and b Cornish

L. Cappage, b Cornish

Maj. Beale (capt.), not out

Extras

Total

Collegiate School—1st Innings.

Pilkington, c Needham, b Williamson

Wilkinson, c McDonald, b Stevens

South, b Stevens

Monteith, b Needham

Despecker, c Hawtree, b Stevens

Talbot, not out

Holt, not out

Corbin, c and b Talbot

Corbin, c

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If I can write two more such plays," Mr. Potter said recently, "I will be willing to retire and let the newer playwrights reap the harvest."

"The Girl From Rector's" is playing limited engagements this season. It will be seen at the Victoria theatre on Tuesday, May 16.

The Sheffield Choir.

That music knows no frontier was convincingly demonstrated in the autumn of 1906, when the splendid Sheffield Choir, under the direction of Dr. Henry Coward, visited the German Fatherland, and, in the language of an English writer who accompanied the chorus on this occasion, "did more for the binding together of the two peoples than many congresses could have done." It was thought at that time that the limit of achievement as regards choral enterprise had been reached.

On no previous occasion had a mixed choir, numbering so large a membership of active choristers, undertaken a trip of so comprehensive a nature. To undertake an artistic tour of the great cities of the Rhineland seemed like bearding the musical lion in his den; but the attainment of an unprecedented standard by the singers from Sheffield was freely acknowledged by the German press and profession and the enthusiasm of the reception accorded the singers and their triumphs mark one of the proudest chapters in the musical history of the British Empire.

In November of 1908, the Sheffield Choir made a brief visit to Canada which was the greatest triumph ever accredited a musical organization in this country, and the memory of their visit will linger long in the memory of those who heard them. The tour was the greatest musical event in the history of the Dominion; greatest in point of merit, and greatest in point of audiences. In every city visited the largest auditoriums were taxed to their utmost capacity.

This Musical Festival of the Empire is the culmination of ten years of preparatory work by its organizer, Dr. Charles Harris. In the enterprise he has had the active co-operation of musical colleagues all over the Empire, and the warm approval of the governors-general, prime ministers, chief magistrates, presidents and members of boards of trade, chambers of commerce and manufacturers associations.

The choir will sing its last three concerts of the Canada and United States part of the tour at Victoria next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, May 17, 18 and 19, and the seat sale indicates that every ticket of admission to the concert-hall will be taken.

Yesterday at 10 o'clock the sale of tickets for the concerts opened at the Hicks & Lovick music store, Government street, and needless to say there was an enormous crowd waiting to secure the pick of the seats. The sale continued until 6 o'clock in the afternoon, and the store will be open during the same hours until the concerts are held.

**TALLEST STRUCTURE IN ALL THE WORLD****Plans Filed for Modern Tower of Babel in New York**

F. W. Woolworth has filed through Cass Gilbert, the architect, revised plans for what will be the tallest structure in the world, occupying the block front on the west side of Broadway, between Park place and Barclay street, with a depth of from 197.10 feet to 192.6 feet in New York City. The property was assembled during the last few months from various owners by the Broadway-Park Place company, of which Mr. Woolworth is president.

When completed the structure will be 750 feet in height, from the curb to the apex of the tower. The main building will be 30 stories high, but from the centre of the building a tower, with 25 floors, will rise, making a total of 55 stories. The cost is estimated by the architect at \$3,500,000. In design the building will be a combination of Italian, French and modern Renaissance. The tower will be ornamented with massive lantern, which will be lighted by electricity, visible for many miles. On the ground floor will be stores and the second floor will be given over to banking offices, while the remaining floors will be divided into offices.

The building will be equipped with 13 elevators, six running to the 30th floor, six to the 41st floor, and four to the 51st floor. The main building will be 384 feet high and the tower 396 feet high.

Some months ago plans for a building to be erected on this site were filed, calling for a structure 701 feet high, but subsequently additional property was acquired and the taller building was decided on. The Irving National Exchange bank will occupy quarters in the new building and F. W. Woolworth & Co. will utilize several of the upper floors for executive offices.

The tallest building in the city at the present time is the Metropolitan tower, at No. 1, Madison Avenue. The structure rises to a height of 700 feet and three inches and has 50 floors. Next in height is the Singer tower, in lower Broadway, with 41 stories and a height of 412 feet and one inch. The building will cost \$3,500,000.

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